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The Republican Vice-Presidential Nominee in Seclusion at His Cottage at Rhinebeck, on the Hudson—Mr. Morton Delighted With His Nomination—Gen. Harrison Denies the Report That Ex-Pension Commissioner Dudley Has Been Appointed His Campaign Manager—Vermont Republican Convention.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The banking house of Levi P. Morton, the Republican candidate for Vice-President, in Nassau street, was overrun yesterday with visitors tendering their congratulations. There were many bankers and business men there, and not a few "strikers," anxious to "get in on the boom." In vain did Private Secretary Barker assure these fellows that his employer would not return to the city for a day or two. "Oh, he's just giving us a steer," they said, but one by one the gang departed. Mr. Morton is living in a gem of a cottage at Rhinebeck, on the Hudson. Pending the completion of his magnificent summer mansion, Ellersly, Mr. Morton, with his family, occupies what is known as the Huntingdon cottage. You catch a glimpse of it through clumps of fragrant bushes, tall, stately pines and beautifully trimmed hedges. A winding path takes you to the house, and suddenly a superb stretch of lawn bursts upon the view. Acre upon acre of velvety green, studded here and there with trees of luxuriant foliage delight the eye. Broad piazzas nearly or quite encircle the house. The banker was attired in a close-fitting, double-breasted jacket, dark blue in color, waistcoat of the same hue and light gray trousers.

"I am very glad to see you," he said, removing his gold-rimmed glasses and shaking the reporter's hand. "So you have discovered my little nest? Well I'm glad of it. What's the news. Anything much going on in New York?"

"I am here to get some news, if possible," replied the reporter. "You no doubt have a large supply on hand."

"No. I have heard very little to-day. I have been busy getting my cottage at Ellersly ready. What do they think of our ticket in New York? The Republicans are pleased, I hope. I have been literally showered with telegrams and cable dispatches all day. Those I have received were repeated to me from my office. I have no doubt many more await me there. All express the warmest congratulations, and I am deeply moved by the sincerity and cordiality of some of them."

"Have you received any messages yet from Mr. Blaine?"

"Oh, yes; it is dated at Linlithgow, congratulates me upon my nomination and expresses his conviction that victory is assured. It looked very much as though Mr. Blaine would be nominated in spite of himself, didn't it? What a grand man he is! I have a message from Gen. Harrison himself in which he states he experienced great satisfaction that I am his associate on the ticket, and another from Andrew Carnegie. Mrs. John A. Logan sent me a delightful message, too."

NOT SURPRISED.

Mrs. Morton, attired in striped silk, helped her husband to sort out what telegrams she thought best to have published. While thus engaged Mr. Morton was asked if he was surprised at receiving the nomination.

"I would have been on Saturday, but I was not on Monday. On Saturday, as you know, it looked very much like Blaine. In case he had been nominated, of course a Western man must necessarily have been selected for second place. On Monday, however, the situation changed immediately upon the receipt of his cable messages. I am deeply sensible of this great honor conferred on me. I am happy to be associated on the ticket with such a distinguished soldier and statesman as Gen. Harrison. I am entirely satisfied with the platform and am confident of victory."

Congratulatory telegrams were received from Chauncy M. Depew, ex-Collector Edwin Merritt, Congressman McKinley of Ohia, Wm. Walter Phelps, ex-Senator Daniel H. Mc-Millan, Murat Halstead, Gen. Geo. S. Batcheler, and many others.

Harrison's Campaign Manager.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 27.—Gen. Harrison has chosen Col. W. W. Dudley, ex-Pension Commissioner, as his personal representative on the Republican National Executive Committee. On being notified of his nomination, Gen. Harrison telegraphed Col. Dudley, who was here, to straighted up his business so as to take charge of the campaign. Col. Dudley, appreciating the honor and the amount of labor involved, replied that he was ready to obey orders, and he will be Secretary of the Republican National Executive Committee. John C. New, who has jointly with him managed Gen. Harrison's campaign thus far, will also be a member of the Executive Committee, of which J. S. Clarkson, it is conceded, will be Chairman. Just who will be made Chairman of the National Committee is not known.

Harrison's Denial.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 27.—The Chicago dispatch saying that Gen. Harrison had selected Col. Dudley as his personal representative on the Republican National Executive Committee, was shown to the General by a *News* reporter, who asked as to the authority of the report. Gen. Harrison said: "There is no truth in the report. I have had no communication with Col. Dudley since he went to Chicago. As to the particular matter in question, there has not only been no determination arrived at, but no conference held."

Vermont Republican Convention.

MONTPELIER, Vt., June 27.—The Republican State Convention was called to order this morning by Hon. J. Batcheldor of Arlington, who made a brief speech. He said: "The issues of the campaign are plainly defined—protection of American industry being the chief one. [Applause.] His allusion to the stand of the Vermont delegation at Chicago elicited great applause. It was not the first time Vermont had led the forces of the Republicans to victory. "We've not nominated Harrison because he is a grandson of Tippecanoe, but because he is worthy to be a grandson of that noble man." Morton was lauded and confidence expressed that he will not prove a "Tyler too."

Hon. W. P. Dillingham was then nominated for Governor. Urban Woodbury was nominated by acclamation for Lieutenant-Governor. W. H. Dubois was nominated by acclamation for State Treasurer. Charles W. Porter was nominated for Secretary of State and Hon. E. H. Powell for Auditor.

The platform heartily endorses that of the Chicago Convention as a clear and forcible presentation of the principles of the party, and with Harrison and Morton inscribed on a banner as the personification of a high character and clean politics, and a sure guarantee that pledges will be kept promises a majority in September, that shall carry hope and inspiration to Republicans; extends hearty thanks to the Chicago delegation from Vermont; deprecates the issuance of railroad passes to State officers and members of the Legislature as demoralizing, and demands that such practices be prohibited by law; favors the embodiment in state laws of the long and short haul provisions of interstate commerce law, and calls upon the voters to roll up a majority of 30,000 for the State ticket. The resolutions were unanimously adopted and the convention adjourned.

Nominating a Representative.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WHITEHALL, Ill., June 27.—Greene, Jersey and Scott Counties are holding their Republican Convention here to-day, to nominate a minority representative for this, the Thirty-seventh Senatorial District. Greene has placed in nomination Doolittle of Carrollton and Scott named M. D. Kamp of Winchester as their candidates. It is almost certain that Kamp will receive the nomination.

Congressional Committee Meeting.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., June 27.—The Democratic Congressional Committee of the Fourteenth District are in session here to-day. They unanimously decided upon Poplar Bluff as the place of meeting for the convention and September 18 as the time. The basis of representation is to be one for every 100 and fraction over fifty votes cast for Supreme Judge two years ago.

New York Prohibition Convention.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 27.—The Prohibition State Convention this afternoon adopted its platform and decided upon an aggressive campaign.

The Metropolitan Press.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The WORLD says: "The revival of the legend that Mr. Harrison was a Knownothing thirty-five years ago, is about as nonsensical as the repitition of the story that Mr. Thurman's wife sent a few nicknacks to Confederate prisoners in Camp Chase in 1863. What has all this to do with the tariff issue?"

THE "TIMES."

The *Times* says: "Do the Republican leaders really believe that after a quarter of a century of power with a moderate modern policy, they can regain ascendency by going back to the middle ages for their principles and their methods?"

THE "SUN."

The *Sun* says: "It is interesting to observe the decent language of the press at large about the candidate nominated at Chicago. The Republican papers do not glorify him as a man of unparalleled greatness and goodness, and the Democratic papers do not describe him as a brainless rascal. This is cheering. Let all men and every party hold their reason and good humor in the ascendant through the campaign."

THE "TRIBUNE."

The *Tribune* says: "The campaign will be one of argument. Voters will be ask d to consider their interests and the interests of the country and to vote for American rather than British interests. If the Democrats suppose that it is to be a one-sided fight let them nurse their delusion as long as they can."

THE "HERALD."

The *Herald* says: "Democrats, therefore, should follow the Republican example and scatter all over the country facts, statistics, arguments, the strong speeches that have been delivered in Congress, on platforms, in churches, and do it by the ton, so that an intelligent people may get an intelligent idea of the situation and cast an intelligent ballot. That is a very important work and the sooner it is begun the more decided will be the result."

MAXWELL'S DOOM.

Gov. Morehouse Emphatically Denies That He Has Spoken or Written About It.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., June 27.—Gov. Morehouse, on seeing your reporter this morning, asked to be interviewed. He stated that he had read the article that appeared in this morning's *Globe-Democrat* in relation to his probable action in the Maxwell case, and that he desired to say that it was false from beginning to end. It was true that Maxwell's father, Mr. Brooks, was here in the city, that he came to see him at the Mansion and spent a very pleasant evening there, but that Brooks never spoke of the crime, nor did he ask executive clemency for his son. All that he said of Maxwell was about his life in England up to the time he came to this country. The Governor further said that he had never stated to any one what his action in the matter would be, that in fact he talked to no one about the case, and he now refuses to say what he will do when the petition is presented.

FOUR MEN KILLED.

A Passenger Train Goes Through a Bridge in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June 27.—At 2:45 this morning a south-bound train from this city to Mobile went through a small bridge a mile north of Tenses. The engine, baggage car, postal and two passenger cars and one sleeper became a total wreck. Engineer John Morgan, Fireman Sam Williams and two tramps were killed. Mail Agent Davis was dangerously hurt. Baggagemaster Taylor and four passedgers were slightly injured. These are all the casualities reported. The bridge was over a small stream and was undermined by heavy rain. The officers of the road are at the scene and doing what they can to repair the damage. The killed and wounded were taken to Mobile.

QUICK WORK.

Wallace Mitchell, the Murderer, Lynched by a Mob at Syracuse, Kan.

SYRACUSE, Kan., June 27.—Wallace Mitchell, the murderer who was brought back from Trinidad, Colo., last night, charged with the murder of the boy, Johnson, and the wounding of his father near here June 9, was taken from the Sheriff late last night by a body of armed men, who led him to the spot where he committed the butchery and then hanged him.

Struck by Lightning.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HANNIBAL, Mo., June 27.—A heavy rainstorm visited this section yesterday afternoon. It was accompanied by remarkable electrical disturbances. During the storm a house situated in the western part of the city, and occupied by Mr. Lewis and family, was struck by lightning. Mrs. Lewis was sitting by the window when the flash came and was so severely shocked that she fell on the floor in an unconscious condition. She was at first thought to be dead, but upon medical attention being given her she regained consciousness in about a half an hour. The house was damaged to some extent. Slight shocks were experienced by other persons in different parts of the city.

Washed Out by Heavy Rains.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LOUISIANA, Mo., June 27.—On account of a wash-out on the St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern Railroad between this city and Hannibal the night express train came down from Hannibal on the Illinois side, and when opposite this city the engine and tender left the track, delaying the train until noon to-day. Many of the passengers walked over the bridge and took a late breakfast in this city. The rainstorm above here was exceedingly severe, while at this place there was only a good, steady rain, which will retard the harvesters considerably.

Missouri Chautauqua Assembly.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WARRENSBURG, Mo., June 27.—The second annual session of the Missouri Chautauqua Assembly began this morning in the Tabernacle at Pertle Springs. The attendance, owing to rainy weather, was light, but is expected to be much larger in a day or two. Rev. Frank Russell of New York is superintendent of instruction this year. The programme covers ten days and has been arranged with great care.

A Brakeman Injured.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., June 27.—J. M. Holderby, brakeman on freight train No. 72, on the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railway, met with a serious accident this morning at Worden, twenty miles west of here, by having his right arm mashed between the draw bars while coupling. He was taken to St. Francis Hospital here, in an almost insensible condition. Dr. Sinler found it necessary to amputate his arm.

WASHINGTON.

GEN. SHERIDAN TO BE TAKEN ON A MAN-OF-WAR TO NONQUITT.

Hopes That the Invigorating Sea Air Will Benefit the Patient—Congressman Kelly Suggests the Postponement of the Tariff Bill—Unapproved Laws—Congressional Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—The United States Steamer Swatara arrived at the Washington Navy Yard at noon to-day from Norfolk, for the purpose of taking Gen. Sheridan to Nonquitt, Mass.

Gen. Sheridan will be accompanied by Mrs. Sheridan, Col. Sheridan, Drs. O'Reilly and Yarrow and a trained nurse. Every arrangement has been made for the care and comfort of the distinguished patient, and it is expected that he will derive great benefit from the trip. One of the General's friends in speaking of the proposed trip this morning said: "The General is a good sailor and was never seasick in his life. He has taken several trips in the United States steamer Galena and has become quite attached to that vessel and its officers. He wanted to have her for this trip, but she was out at sea and could not be secured in time. The Swatara is a vessel of the same type and class, and as she has just been fitted out for a cruise is in excellent condition. Her Captain, Commander McGowan, is an accomplished officer, and is a personal friend of the General. The trip to Nonquitt will probably be made in three days and with few if any stops after leaving the Navy Yard. It may be necessary to stop at Fortress Monroe for milk, but I doubt it. I predict that the General will pick up rapidly from the time he begins to sniff the invigorating sea air at the mouth of the river. The naval people have every convenience for transporting invalids and will adopt the same measure for Gen. Sheridan that they would employ in the case of an officer with a broken leg."

Col. Kellogg of Gen. Sheridan's staff will meet the party on their arrival at Nonquitt. He will take the Boston train for that place to-morrow and complete the arrangements for the General's reception. Col. Kellogg will take the General's four children with him and also Mrs. Kellogg and his own family.

The Tariff Bill Debate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—When Mr. Mills called up the tariff bill to-day, Mr. Kelley of Pennsylvania suggested, on his individual responsibility, as a means of expediting adjournment, that the tariff be laid aside until next session, its fate then to depend upon the result of the November elections, and that the surplus be kept down by an entire repeal of the tobacco tax.

Mr. Mills rejected the suggestion and made a counter-proposal that the Republicans should fix an early day for taking a final vote on the bill.

Mr. Reed of Maine declared that Mr. Kelley spoke for himself alone, and that the Republicans would insist upon pointing out the defects of the bill in detail.

Mr. Breckenridge of Kentucky declared that the Democrats intended to have a vote on the bill unless the 4th of March was reached by obstruction. He challenged the Republicans to put their platform in the shape of a legislative proposition, and then take a test vote between that and the pending bill, letting it go to the Senate if passed by the House. He suggested that the vote be taken at the end of the legislative days.

Mr. Reed replied that a minority could not pass a bill, it would be absurd to try.

Mr. Springer of Illinois endeavored to have considered a resolution directing the Committee on Ways to report a date for taking the vote, but Mr. Kelley objected.

To-Day's Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—The bond offerings to-day aggregated $485,450 in lots as follows: Four per cent coupon, $10,000 at 128½; $25,000 at 128½; $5,000 at the best price paid to-day, Four per cents, registered, $60,000 at 128½; $65,000 at 128 and accrued interest; $90,000 at best price paid to-day; $2,450 at 128. Four and a half per cents, registered, $20,000 at 107½; $5,000 at 107½; $275,000 at 107⅝.

The Secretary of the Treasury this afternoon accepted the following bonds: Four per cents, coupon, $5,000 at 128; 4 per cents, registered, $22,450 at 128; 4½ per cents, registered, $20,000 at 107⅝.

Unapproved Laws.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—The President has allowed the act to authorize the Paris, Choctaw & Little Rock Railway Co. to construct and operate railway telegraph and telephone lines through the Indian Territory, to become a law without his approval.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—The House amendments to Senate bills authorizing the construction of bridges across the Ouachita River, Ark.; the Mississippi River at Muscatine, Io.; the Missouri River at Nebraska City, Neb.; the Columbia River between Oregon and Washington Territory; the Missouri River at Parkville; the Mississippi River at Ocaquan, Ill., and the Mississippi River at Clinton, Io., were severally concurred in. The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the river and harbor appropriation bill.

The House.

WASHINGTON, D. C, June 27.—The House resumed consideration of the public land bill, the ayes and noes are being taken on Mr. Holman's amendment retaining title in the Government to coal mines found on public lands, but allowing entrymen to mine such coal deposits until Congress acts further in the matter.

The amendment was adopted and the bill passed.

AN INVETERATE OPIUM FIEND.

The Terrible Plight of a 17-Year-Old Girl in the Police Court.

Judge Cady's court-room was the scene this morning of a disgusting case of depravity in which one sister took the stand to testify to another's irredemable lowness and requested the court to send her to the Workhouse. The defendant was Katie Bane, a girl 17 years of age, who had been sent by her parents from the West to her sister, Mrs. Strickland, who resides here. A more slovenly woman was never in the court room. She was clad in an old red dress which appeared to have merely been thrown upon her and seemed in imminent danger of falling off her at any moment. Her hair was unkempt, her hands and face unclean and to her eyes she held a handkerchief which looked as though it had not been washed for weeks. So repulsive was her whole appearance that one turned from her with a shudder. And yet she was only 17 years of age! She had vices enough, the testimony showed, to have been 317 years old. Her sister said she had found her last night in the company of a lot of Chinamen in an opium den. The police stated that the girl was an inveterate opium fiend, "hitting the pipe" day and night, and that Chinamen and negroes were her associates. The girl cried, but had little to say in her own defense. Her sister told the court that she saw no possible chance to reform the girl, at least at present, and thought it would be best to send her to the Work-house or some other place where she would be kept away from opium "joints" and her old companions. Judge Cady fined the girl $50 and she was sent to the Work-house.

A Malicious Report.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

EMPORIA, Kan., June 27.—The dispatch sent out from this city last night to the effect that Postmaster W. F. Troughton was drunk and broke up the Republican ratification meeting and was placed in jail, is untrue in every particular. The utmost indignation prevails by both Democrats and Republicans against the *Herald* correspondent. Dr. Troughton will prosecute the *Herald* for criminal libel.

AN EXCITING SCENE.

THE DEBATE ON MORLEY'S MOTION IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Editor O'Brien's Eloquent Speech and Arraignement of Balfour—Gladstone Crushes an Impudent Tory—Opening of the Prussian Lantag—The King's Speech—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, June 27.—Seldom has such an exciting scene been witnessed in the British House of Commons as that which culminated in the early hours this morning in the division on Morley's motion impeaching the Irish policy of the Government. Two ex-lords lieutenant of Ireland, and the present occupant of the post again watched the proceedings from the distinguished strangers' gallery, and in the same place, amongst other notabilities, were Lord Lansdowne, late Governor-General of Canada, and two peers who sit in the Cabinet, Lord Cranbrook and Earl Cadogan. No orator could wish for a better audience than faced O'Brien. When he rose to resume the debate on both sides of the House the benches were crowded in anticipation of his speech. O'Brien has not a commanding appearance. He is a thin, fair-haired man of about 35. He gives one the impression of a respectable clerk in a store. He is too much given to sawing the air with his arms, shaking the tuft of hair on his forehead in his excitement, but by universal consent he is one of the most formidable opponents with whom Balfour has to cope. He invariably displays extraordinary knowledge of the minutest particulars relating to Ireland, and has to a remarkable degree the power of making telling epigrams which always makes a man a power in the Commons, and of his intense earnestness and sincerity, not one, probably, of his opponents entertains a shadow of a doubt. For nearly an hour he kept his audience spell bound and in clear ringing tones he directly assailed the Chief Secretary and his colleagues. He was cheered vociferously as he proceeded to show that the terrible story of Norah Fitzmaurice referred to an occurrence in the County of Kerry where the National League long ceased to have influence. Kerry he declared was left to moonlighters and Her Majesty's Government, and he added, amidst laughter, a pretty Arcadia they have made of it. Among other points in his speech keenly relished by the House were his description of the Government going about invoking the aid of the holy inquisition to strengthen the imperial arm of England.

GLADSTONE TAKES A HAND.

Chaplin who followed, discovered a gigantic mare's nest. He thought that Gladstone had expressed his approval of the plan of campaign. This brought up Gladstone, who, in his blandest and most suave manner pointed out that in the report quoted, the word "not" was omitted, as was evident to anybody studying the context. Loud laughter followed. But presently, when Chaplin made a bitter personal attack on Gladstone, alleging that Gladstone's memory was becoming impaired with age, there were loud cries of "Shame," and nobody on the Tory side appeared to have any sympathy with this coarse attack. Gladstone made short work of Chaplin, who occupies the high position of Privy Councilor. While admitting that the lapse of time was formidable and affected him in more than one particular, he expressed the hope that he might continue for some time able to cope with antagonists of the caliber of Chaplin. Gladstone's speech was effective as a rhetorical performance, but was not one of his finest efforts, owing partly to the weakness of his voice.

Balfour's speech contained little that was new. It was chiefly remarkable for the excitement it produced among the Irish members when he unwittingly revealed the fact that he had control of the prison regulations which, in previous debates, has been denied.

SEXTON'S SPEECH.

Sexton, who followed, made a note of this, as also of the fact that while the secretary dares not make a priest convicted under the crimes act wear the prison dress, priests convicted under the ordinary law have to do so. At 1 o'clock the House was cleared for the division, when the whole of the Unionists forces went into the lobby and secured a majority for the Government of 93. Randolph Churchill voted with the Government, as also did Hartington and the two Chamberlains. All the Liberal-Unionists were present with the exception of Bright and three others, who are away ill, as well as Sir Edward Watkins, the promoter of the channel tunnel bill, which comes up for consideration in the Commons to-day, and which Gladstone will support, as he has already done before. Two Tories are away on a holiday in Norway and three Irishmen are in prison. The remainder are accounted for by pairs. It had been arranged that Hartington and Harcourt should speak, but Balfour spoke over two hours, whereupon, with the view of securing a division at a reasonable hour, the two statesmen agreed that if one would forego his speech the other would do the same. The most remarkable feature of the debate, perhaps, was the confidence of the opposition and the dejection of the supporters of the Government. References to appeals to the country were received with ringing cheers by the Liberals and with silence by the Tories. Even when Akers Douglas advanced to the table to announce the result of the division, a sure indication that the Government, as foreseen, had a majority, the cheering from the Government side was far less enthusiastic than usual on the occasion of great party divisions.

England.

THE RACES.

LONDON, June 27.—This was the first day of the Stockbridge meeting. The race for the Stockbridge cup was won by Sir G. Chetwyn's brown horse, Fullerton, with Mr. H. T Barclay's chestnut colt, Red Anchor, second, and Mr. Manton's bay filly, A Life's Mistake, third. Mr. J. A. Graven's bay colt, Scene Shifter, 3-year-old, also ran. The last betting was 4 to 1 on Fullerton, 12 to 1 against Red Anchor; 20 to 1 against A Life's Mistake, and 8 to 1 against Scene Shifter. The race for the Beaufort Handicap Plate was won by Mr. C. W. Jousiffe's bay filly, Rhythm. Mr. J. B. Burton's Brownie was second, and Sir Throckmorton's bay colt, Balderash, third. There were nine starters. The last betting was 4 to 1 each against Rhythm and Brownie, and 5 to 1 against Balderash.

THE MOTTISFONT PLATE.

The race for the Mottisfont Plate for 2-year olds was won by Mr. H. T. Barclay's filly, Philtre, with Capt. L. H. Jones' bay colt, Theophilus, second, and Mr. E. Baddington's brown filly, Domino, third. There were eight starters. The betting was 7 to 1 each against Philtre and Theophilus and 9 to 4 against Domino.

Germany.

WILLIAM AND THE LANDTAG.

BERLIN, June 27.—The Landtag met to-day. In his speech opening the session King William said that his Government, like that of the late King Frederick, would be exercised as a legacy from his grandfather. He would equally guard the rights of his people and the crown, and protect all religions. He was gratified with the good relations existing between the State and the Catholic Church. He was satisfied with the Prussian finances, and hoped that further relief of communes and persons of small means from taxation would be possible. The King concluded his speech with a quotation from Frederick the Great: "The King is the first servant of the State."

AN IMPOSING CEREMONY.

The opening of the Landtag was accompanied by an imposing ceremonial similar to that observed when the Reichstag met. The "White hall" of the old castle was again the scene of the ceremonies. The King entered the hall followed by the Royal Princes. The Queen and the Princesses occupied a dais to the right of the throne. The members of the two Houses of the Landtag were stationed opposite the throne, the members of the Upper House on the right, and those of the Lower House on the left side. As soon as the King arrived, the President of the Upper House proposed cheers for him, and they were given with enthusiasm. The King did not remove his helmet while reading his speech. The chief passages of the address were loudly applauded. When he had finished the King extended his hand to Prince Bismarck, who, bowing low, kissed it. After bowing to the assembly the King left the hall amid enthusiastic cheering.

SATISFIED WITH EMPEROR WILLIAM'S SPEECH.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 27.—The *Journal de St. Petersbourg* says it is satisfied with the pacific tone of Emperor William's speech to the Reichstag, which, it declares, confirms the existence of friendly relations between Germany and Russia.

"PUGS" GO TO THE "ROCKS."

How Judge Cady Punished a Pair of Brutal Prize Fighters.

The cannibalistic tournament, which occurred a few nights ago in front of Tom Kelly's saloon with Frank, better known as "Dutchy" Neal, and John Gallagher as contestants, was adjusted in Judge Cady's court this morning and as a result of the adjustment these two would-be fighters will try their muscle for three or four months to come breaking rock at the Work-house. Gallagher came into court with his head bandaged up and a piece of his left ear wrapped up in a piece of newspaper. He offered that small section of himself in evidence to attest the soundness of "Dutchy's" teeth. It was the upper half of Gallagher's ear that "Dutchy" had disconnected from the remainder of his antagonist's body. Neal had no detached section of himself to produce in evidence, but indicated where Gallagher had been operating on his organ of hearing. The ear was bitten half way through and had an artistic droop. "Dutchy" also had his shoulder mangled by Gallagher's teeth. The trouble rose over $3 which Gallagher owed Neal, but each claimed the other was the first to use his teeth. Judge Cady though that when men engaged in dog fights they should be treated like dogs, so he fined them $50 and costs each, and the "pugs" took the 3 p. m. van for the Work-house, where they will spend the summer months.

A CLEANING UP.

Sale of Hibernia Bank Rubbish at the Court-House To-Day.

To-day at noon a lot of unrealizable assets of the defunct Hibernia Bank, which closed its doors many years ago, were sold at the east door of the Court-house, at auction, and about $175 realized. There were but a few bidders present and but four of those invested money in the notes and judgments. Three judgments against Secretary of State M. K. McGrath were bought by Pat Kane. They aggregated $492.67 and Justice Kane paid $47.50 for them. Justice Kane also paid $21 for a note given by Rev. Thomas M. Finney for $828. Mrs. Lydia C. Brown bid 25 cents for a note of the St. Louis *Times* Co. for $659.45, endorsed by Mitchell & Brady and by T. W. Brady. H. D. Laughlin invested $56 in a batch of paper. Mrs. Brown paid $3.50 for twenty shares of the old Mercantile Bank stock, par value $100 per share. A note of H. B. O'Reilly, notes of O'Meara & O'Brien, and of Haggerty & Quinn were also bought by her representative for $3.75. The sale was a cleaning up of the assets of the bank. Many of the persons who gave the notes and against whom the judgments lie are dead. Much of the paper is outlawed.

A MOTHER'S FLIGHT.

Mrs. McClellan and Her Seven Children Left Penniless on the Streets.

A worthless and cowardly husband and a money lender have thrown Mrs. McClellan and children, living at No. 2630 Geyer avenue, upon the charity of the cold world. McClellan got out of employment and mortgaged every piece of furniture in his six-room house. Finding the mortgage coming due and being unable to meet it, he deserted his wife and seven children, leaving them to face the music which proved too strong for his own courage. From Covington, Ky., he forwarded $20 to a sister here to purchase needed things for his children, but sent not a dollar to his wife. The mortgage fell due and John H. Vette, the holder, around with inexorable regularity, stripped the family of everything, even to the stove and cooking utensils. Mrs. McClellan is now entirely dependent upon the public for sustenance. She is reported to be very worthy.

Centenary Sunday-School Picnic.

The Centenary Sunday-School will give a picnic to-morrow at Montesano Springs. The children and their friends will be taken to the springs on the Annie P. Silver, which will leave the wharf at 8:30 o'clock in the morning. There will be all kinds of games and races, including stilt, potato, sack, egg and other races. There will be a base ball match between the young men of the church and the Young People's Union. A band will provide music, and there will be other delightful features.

Death of Dr. Wm. B. Conery.

Dr. Wm. B. Conery, who was a member of the city Board of Health during Mayor Overstolz' administration, died last night after a lingering illness. His remains will be shipped from this city to relatives at Frankfort, Ky., for interment. Dr. Conery was at one time in the service of the United States at this point and held a place on the Missouri State Board of Health, which organized in 1882.

A Case of Infanticide.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HANNIBAL, Mo., June 27.—The South Side is all excitement to-day over the finding of the body of a white female infant. George Ayres made the ghastly discovery at an early hour this morning while engaged in the work of removing brush and other trash that had been carried into his garden spot during the night by the heavy rain.

Wheat Crop Damaged.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CLARKSVILLE, Mo., June 27.—The heaviest rain of the season visited this community last night, flooding all the low lands and doing a vast amount of damage. The damage done to the wheat crop will be hard to estimate.

Decided in Favor of Bennett.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The revolver shooting match for $1,000 between Payne and Bennett has been decided by Referee John S. Shepherd in favor of Bennett.

New Warrants.

Lee Phillips charges Thomas Leyden with the petit larceny of a rubber coat.

Stephen Ryan is accused of stealing some chinaware.

A RATE WAR OPENED.

THE "SOO" LINE SAID TO HAVE CUT TRANSCONTINENTAL TARIFFS.

A Sweeping Reduction Alleged to Have Been Made by the Great Disturber of the Northwest—What the Agents Say About It—An Unpleasant Prospect—The Settlement of Colorado Rates—The Green Line Cuts—Railroad News.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The *Times* says: "It was learned yesterday that a still further and very sweeping reduction had been openly made by the "Soo" line, which reduces the rates on first-class freight to St. Paul and Minneapolis to 60 cents per 100 pounds, 52 cents on second class, 43 cents on third, 33 cents on fourth, 25 cents on fifth and 20 cents on sixth class. This being a strictly all rail route, the rates are far lower than the bottom rates yet given by any line and as low as the rail and lake rates to those points. The route is over four different roads—the New York, Ontario & Western; Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg, Canadian Pacific and Minneapolis, Sault Ste. Marie & Atlantic. This makes not only the lowest possible rate to those points, but also reduces the rates to Pacific points via St. Paul, the local rate from there to Portland or San Francisco being only $2.80 thus making a first-class rate of $3.40, or via the Canadian Pacific $3.25, as against the regular transcontinental association rate of $4.

WHEN THE NEWS

of this sweeping reduction was made known to the various freight agents on Broadway, yesterday, many refused to believe it and held that the route must be via lake and rail. Information on the subject was very positive, however, and the agents of other lines will no doubt shortly be compelled to believe it.

Mr. W. F. Bemis of the Wisconsin Central said that freights were very low already to those points and he did not believe any road could possibly carry freight so cheaply and make a profit thereon.

"I don't believe that such rates will be maintained for any length of time," said he, and the Soo people are no doubt simply meeting or beating the rates offered by other routes. As for the Wisconsin Central, I can only say that we met the rate of the Chicago, Burlington & Northern, and in so doing violated the interstate commerce law, but this sweeping reduction of the Soo line is lower than we can touch and we will make no effort whatever to meet it. If the managers of that line want to attempt to flight water lines they may do so, but I don't believe they can compete with them so far as rates are concerned. The trunk lines are forcing transcontinental rates down and now that the lowest rates given are considerably beaten, they will have to settle the thing among themselves."

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office it was stated that road would not lower their rates to meet those offered by the "Soo."

Another freight agent said: "I suppose if they adhere to these low rates for any length of time, the rest of us will be compelled to meet them though we loose money by doing it. The trunk-line rate to Chicago is 70 cents, and 60 cents to St. Paul or Minneapolis and the Soo is practically carrying freight between those points for 10 cents less than nothing. I have feared for some time that light business would plunge the transcontinental lines into a rate war, and I believe this is the first outbreak, though the thing has been smoldering along for some months past. It is to be deplored, for when business is dull it is the very time that everything should be done to maintain prices. The Soo Line, however, has never done much business, and these extreme measures have to be adopted to bring it into prominence."

WILLIAM NEIMIER

of the Sunset Route (Southern Pacific) said it made no difference what cuts were made, his road continued to do about 80 per cent of the California business. "I do not think," said he, "that there is a possibility of the transcontinental rate to the Pacific Coast, via the Soo Line, being cut to less than $4 on first-class freight, because no matter what it might be way-billed for from here, the rate would be raised at the other end of the route to $4, the agreed rate of the Transcontinental Association, and would not be delivered until this price was paid. The only way such a thing could be done would be to have the freight consigned to some one in St. Paul and sent out by him to destination at the local rate."

The general opinion among the various agents seems to be that in case the "Soo" Line maintains these low rates they will either capture all the Northwest freight business or force other lines to meet their rates, neither alternative being very pleasant to contemplate.

Colorado Freight Rates.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The *Times* says: "For a long time Colorado freight business has been a bone of contention among the all-rail lines and lines via steamer to New Orleans and thence by rail. The old rate was on a basis of first-class freight, $3.45 per 100 pounds, but very great inroads were made on this tariff in the efforts of the various lines to procure the bulk of the trade until $2.20 was reached, and it is believed even this was considerably beaten. The old rate was considered too high at the best and this was a sufficient reason for cutting it. The matter was brought to a termination on Monday, however, as all the lines have settled upon a fixed rate of $2.24 and signed an agreement to that effect, which will in future necessarily govern all agents in their efforts to procure Colorado freights."

Green Line Rates.

The reduction in freight rates to Green Line points has almost reached rock bottom. Altogether the reduction on flour and grain amounts to about 10 cents a hundred. This is a case in which secret cutting has been met by open reduction. The Louisville & Nashville has been meeting the cut by a reduction in the tariff, but it is thought that the lowest points has been reached. It is said that an agreement has been made by which the rates will be advanced to the old figures on August 31.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS OF ST. JOHN.

Adjournment of the Tenth Annual Convention—Officers Elected.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 27.—The Catholic Knights of St. John adjourned their tenth annual convention late last night. They will meet next year on St. John's day in Washington. Before adjourning they adopted resolutions, thanking President Cleveland for the consideration shown the Church in his present to Pope Leo, sympathizing with the Irish in their struggle for home rule, and declaring anew their allegiance to the Church. The following officers were then elected and the convention adjourned to wind up with a banquet and excursion to-day.

Col. John Dunn of Cleveland, O., re-elected Supreme Commander, with the military rank of General of the Army; Adam Weckler of Chicago, First Vice-Supreme Commander, with the military rank of Lieutenant-General; J. L. Herbert of Washington, D. C., Second Vice-Supreme Commander, with the military rank of Major-General; Andrew Dietz, a member of the Board of Education of Cleveland, O., Supreme Color-bearer; Joseph Lietz of Buffalo, Supreme Secretary; W. P. Rattogan of Detroit, Mich., Supreme Treasurer. The Supreme Deputies appointed by Gen. Dunn were: Joseph Hessinger of Rochester, N. Y., for the State of New York; Thomas A. Burke, United States Vice-Consul of Windsor, Ont., for Canada; W. T. Gurrin of Grand Rapids, Mich., for the State of Michigan; Jos. M. Gisler of Newport, Ky., for Kentucky; J. E. Ransell of Lake Providence, La., for Louisiana; Capt. Michael Hughes of Vicksburg, Miss., for Mississippi, and Capt. Jacob Rief of Lawrenceburg, Ind., for Indiana.

MURDERED HER RIVAL.

Lucy Rice Shoots and Kills Barbara Ballenger at Maysville, Ky.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 27.—At Maysville this morning Lucy Rice shot dead Barabara Ballenger. The Ballenger woman had been a servant in Maysville, and the Rice woman had lived as wife with Charles B. Hill. Hill returned from a trip to Cincinnati with Ballenger, and Rice met them at the top of the levee, and without a word fired, sending a bullet through her rival's brain.

REAL ESTATE.

Property Along the Citizens' Cable—Where Agents Will Summer—Sales.

Parties interested in property adjacent to the Easton Avenue Cable line west of Grand say a very brisk inquiry for lots all through that territory, out beyond King's highway, has sprung up recently since the road has been operating so successfully, and they anticipate that a good deal of property will be sold. They claim that the Easton avenue cable is the best line of the three in the city. It is a fact in this connection that several lots have recently been sold out that way where very little has been doing in real estate for a long time past. Now that the advantages of rapid transportation have been realized and practically secured to the section there is every probability that its residence property will enhance in value and be improved rapidly.

WHERE THE AGENTS WILL SUMMER.

During mid-summer the real estate market declines to a lower ebb than at any other season of the year, and just before the heat commences to be hottest the festive agent who has succeeded in rolling up a fair commission account to his credit begins to lay out plans for spending a goodly portion of their twelve months' profit. It has been the rule heretofore for most of them to go where they could get a sniff of salt water and tell wonderful tales on returning home about trolling for blue fish and hooking shark. Several of the agents will follow the old custom this year, others are going to Canada but are coming back, and some will go towards the Rockies. All of them will have returned by September 1, and there are very few on the list who do not contemplate a trip of a couple of weeks or more in one direction or another. As yet only a few have perfected their plans for the usual summer vacation. They know in a general way that they are going for a jaunt somewhere, but where and when is yet to be determined, except by the following named:

Charles A. Bailey will leave with his wife and daughter for Europe, July 28, to be away about six weeks.

Capt. Thomas Turner leaves July 15 with his daughter on a two weeks' trip to Canada.

E. S. Warner will depart July 15 to meet his wife at North Scituate Beach, Mass., where they will remain about five weeks.

John J. Miltenberger starts July 28 on a four weeks' sojourn at Heronia Beach, Mich.

Claude Kilpatrick leaves Saturday next for Biddleford Pool, Mass., to be gone two weeks.

James M. Carpenter starts in about two weeks to make a tour of the Eastern watering-places.

Joseph T. Donovan will pass his time between here and his farm near Montgomery City, where his family goes every summer.

Louis Haynes is going to leave for a short stay at Cleveland, O., the latter part of next week, intending to return here and then depart for the Rocky Mountains for the summer.

Theophile Papin has arranged to leave the city with his family July 6 to spend six weeks near Mackinaw, Mich.

SALES AND IMPROVEMENTS.

Joseph T. Donovan & Co. sold Catherine M. Bolan a four-room brick dwelling and 20x122 foot lot No. 1531 North Ninth street, in which her brothers, John R. and B. F. Thomas, held an interest, for $1,700 to H. C. Benson.

To-morrow at noon there will be a meeting of Forest Park boulevard owners, between Boyle and King's highway, at the office of Leon L. Hull & Co., to raise a deficit of $1,800 to pay for the improvement of that section of the thoroughfare.

JUNE'S RAINFALL.

Enough Water to Entirely Cover St. Louis to a Depth of Over 8 Inches.

From the first to the fourteenth days inclusive of the present month 1.49 inches of rain fell in St. Louis. From the fifteenth to the twenty-sixth days inclusive the rainfall was 6.42 inches. From the close of yesterday's account to noon to-day the rainfall was .28 inches. These rain-falls in the aggregate amount to 8.19 inches for so much of the month of June as is past. Rain has fallen on fifteen of the twenty-seven days, and on the 15th the fall surpassed any previous record of the Signal Service. Though there remain three days of the present month its record to date surpasses any record of rain-fall in June made since the Signal Service station was established in St. Louis, except the record of June, 1875, when 10.84 inches of rain fell, and June, 1877, when 8.69 inches fell. Though there is little prospect that the record of June, 1875, will be surpassed in the three remaining days of this month, June, 1888, will at least be second in the record, as only one-half inch more is needed to place it ahead of June, 1877.

While the heavy rains are not confined to St. Louis the falls are in patches, not general. At Leavenworth, Kan., yesterday, two inches of rain fell and at Concordia, Kan., which is a few miles farther west, there was no precipitation. New Orleans yesterday had four inches of rain, Springfield, Mo., two inches, Keokuk over one inch, and Omaha over one inch.

THE FLOWER MISSION.

Flowers, Fruits, Etc., Distributed at the Various Public Institutions.

The meeting of the Flower Mission was held in the rooms, 1106 Olive street, this morning with the following ladies present: Mesdames Coe, Krafft, White, McK. Wilson, Hunt Smith and Fife, Misses Ewald, Chappel, Copp, Alexander, Leavenworth, Life and Wolfe.

Flowers were received from Girls Flower Mission of Sparta, Ill.; from Kirkwood—Mrs. A. S. Mermod, Mrs. J. W. Andrews, Mrs. T. D. Kimball, J. J. Reid, Marie Franklin, Misses Sneed, Webster Groves, Flower Mission, G. W. T. Union.

City Donations—Carl and Lucy Ring, Sarah Abrams, J. R. Armstrong, Mr. Connor and Mr. North, florists; mint from Mrs. A. S. Mermod.

Literature was received from Miss Chappel. A donation of $10 from Mr. Byron Sherman. A vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Keener for Flower Mission badges. An appeal is made to the public for reading matter and for carriages.

Distributions to the hospitals were as follows: City Hospital, 270 bouquets, 7 dozen lemons, 300 papers, books, etc.; Female Hospital, 150 bouquets, 6 dozen lemons, 150 books, papers and mint; Good Samaritan Hospital, 45 bouquets, 40 papers, 2 dozen lemons and mint; Augusta Free Hospital, 15 bouquets, 15 books; St. Louis Children's Hospital, 25 bouquets, books; Protestant Hospital, 15 bouquets and books.

NEW QUARTERS

To Be Opened by the Vest Club—Early Primaries—Notes.

After the long search for suitable permanent quarters, the Vest Club has found very desirable rooms. They are located over a saloon at the southeast corner of Seventh and Locust streets. The rooms are capable of seating an audience of 300. To-night the club will meet in the new rooms for the first time, when a vote of thanks to the special Committee on Permanent Quarters will be in order.

Early Primaries.

The friends of Gov. Morehouse, Congressman Glover and Col. Claiborne are waiting to see what truth there is in the report that Mayor Francis' friends in the City Committee are preparing to hold early primaries for the selection of candidates to the State Convention. The date set in the State call is August 11.

Political Notes.

The Eleventh Ward Republicans have organized a Blaine and Morton Club. It is the first in the field.

The First Ward Colored Republican Club will meet at 719 Spruce street at 8 o'clock this evening to ratify.

All the members of the Missouri delegation to Chicago have returned and are explaining to their friends how Missouri got on the wrong side of the fence.

Frazier—Hardesty.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CLARKSVILLE, Mo., June 27.—Miss Lou A. Frazier of Paynesville, Mo., and E. H. Hardesty of Camden Point, Mo., were married this morning. They leave for Camden Point this evening.

Thos. S. Noonan is so happy over the event that he wants the world to know that he is the father of twin boys. He says he is going to name one Thomas, the other Sarpy. The boys are bouncers. Mrs. Noonan and the young real estate chaps are doing quite well, and so is their father.

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RIGHTS AND WRONGS.

QUESTIONS WHICH ARE BEING DISPOSED OF TO-DAY AT THE CITY HALL.

The Democratic City Committee Asks the Recorder to Specifically State His Position in the Poll-Book Controversy and He Proceeds to Do So—The Street-Sweeping Contracts — Granting Indulgences to Street Peddlers—Municipal Matters.

Recorder of Voters Williams was closeted to-day in his private office preparing an answer to the application made by Mr. Chas. B. Stark on behalf of the Democratic Central Committee for copies of certain books and records. The present purpose of the committee is to ascertain its rights under the decision relating the copies of the polling lists. The committee wants not only a copy of the books used at the last election, but also copies of the registrations entered since the compilation of the books. While the first named books are recognized as public records the second are books only entrusted to the sworn officers of the Recorder's office, and until the applicants present some law justifying the Recorder in permitting the original lists to pass into other hands they will hardly be allowed to complete the list of voters. Mr. Stark states that to facilitate the transaction and to incommode the officers in their daily work as little as possible he has asked the Recorder to suggest some basis of barter on which the committee might secure one of the fourteen copies of the lists, which were prepared just after the adjournment of the last Board of Revision. Only two copies of the books have as yet any legal existence, as the other twelve not described in the act were simply prepared at that time to save the city money. The request for a mite out of the Recorder's plentiful store will consequently be of no effect.

While ready to obey the mandate of the court the Recorder's position seems to be that he will take no action until the applicants qualify themselves under the conditions of the decision to avail themselves of all legal rights accruing thereunder. The committee will endeavor to get together to-night to decide on further plans for obtaining a list of the voters of the city.

Raised Their Figures.

Supt. Josephs of the St. Louis Improved Street Sprinkling Co. was at the City Hall to-day to look after the interests of his company in the award of the contract for sweeping the paved streets. The new bid for the work is an increase over the last bid, which the city is not prepared to meet. The expenditure under the head of sweeping improved streets last year was $44,000. In view of the extension, which brought the total length of reconstructed streets up to nearly thirty-eight miles, the Comptroller suggested a proportionate increase in the appropriation, and asked that $55,000 be set aside this year to meet the expense. The Assembly reduced this figure to $50,000, which is not sufficient to defray the expense for an increased number of miles at an increased rate.

The proposed increase was probably an unwise move on the part of the company, as it attracts attention to a municipal contract which has always been in danger. Some of the Council fought hard to take the work out of the hands of the company and to put it in charge of the Street Department without the assistance of bidding contractors. Other members of the Assembly do not agree with Gen. Turner's ideas about the treatment of the reconstructed granite streets, and have repeatedly hinted at unnecessary and injudicious expenditure of money in having the streets swept every night. The plan pursued so far has been approved by the Street Commissioner, but will probably be submitted to further consideration before the award of the new contracts.

Visiting Peddlers.

Mayor Francis was at his office at the City Hall to-day and audited a number of claims for reduced licenses and pardons which had been with others held under advisement during the attendance of the crowds at the National Convention and the Saengerfest. In justice to the local merchants paying licenses for six months and twelve months all applications of traveling peddlers for permits to do business for a shorter period of time were refused and the result is that there are now dozens of deferred applications awaiting examination. The regular influx of peddlers following the crowds at the carnival season has taught the municipal authorities the necessity of adopting a policy to govern the city at such times.

TWO OLD CITIZENS

Who Are Lying at the Point of Death at Their Residences To-Day.

Capt. John T. Dozier, President of the Dozier-Weyl Cracker Co., is lying very low at his residence on School street. A delicate surgical operation for the relief of his brain was performed by Dr. Mudd, assisted by Drs. Spencer and Bond, last evening, but the physicians hold out no hope of his recovery.

Dr. Louis Bauer, one of the oldest and best-known surgeons of this city, is very dangerously ill at his residence. He has an inflammation of the knee-joint, and it is feared that at the high age of the doctor his strength will not suffice to overcome the disease. Drs. Barnes, Bernays, Powers and Carpenter are in attendance.

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IN SOCIETY.

ITEMS OF INTEREST GATHERED IN LOCAL SOCIAL CIRCLES TO-DAY.

Marriage at Old Orchard This Afternoon of Lieut. William H. Johnston and Miss Lucille Wilkinson—The Ceremony and the Guests—Society News, Gossip, Chat and Personals.

The marriage of Miss Lucille Barat Wilkinson to Lieut. Wm. H. Johnston of the United States Army was the society event of to-day. It took place at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the little Catholic Church at Old Orchard, which was gaily decked with flowers for the occasion and the altar brilliantly lighted. The little church was filled to overflowing with wedding guests, many of them having gone out on a special train from the city to attend. The groomsmen had brought with them a number of comrades-in-arms, who in their full-dress uniform made a pleasing feature of the bridal cortege. The four ushers entered first, each one accompanied by a groomsman, in the following order: Mr. Will Waters and Lieut. Mundy; Mr. George Fishback, Jr., and Lieut. Arrowsmith; Mr. Rene Bakewell and Lieut. Beckhurst; Mr. Will Cowen and Lieut. Sehon. The bridemaids followed next, Miss Margie Bakewel and Miss Marie Newman, Miss Lily Haydell and Miss Bessie Johnston, sister of the groom; Miss Daisy Billion and Miss Lulu Papin, Miss Mamie Wilkinson and Miss May Prather. These young ladies were all attired in pretty Directoire gowns of white dotted muslin, made with bebe waists, decollete, with high puffed sleeves, and confined high under the arms by broad sashes of white moire ribbon and in their hands they carried bunches of daisies. The bride followed with her sister, Miss Juliette Wilkinson, who was the maid of honor, and wore a gown similar to those worn by the other bridemaids. The bride wore a very simple but exquisite robe of pure white Ottoman silk, made with a long Marquise train completely veiled by drapings of fine silk mull. The long pointed bodice was made of the silk, decollete, but covered with the mull drawn close about the throat; high puffs of the mull served as sleeves, mest by long kid gloves. In her hand she carried a bunch of lilies of the valley and over all fell the bridal veil, banded in soft folds about her dark-brown hair. She wore no jewels, save the brooch set with diamonds at her throat.

After the ceremony there was a reception at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilkinson, to which only the bridal party and intimate friends were invited. Lieut. and Mrs. Johnston will leave for Fort Douglas, Utah, this evening, where his regiment is stationed.

Chat.

Mrs. Ephraim Catlin leaves next week for Naragansett Pier.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bakewell have moved to 923 Cabanne avenue.

Mrs. Lyne S. Metcalf left on Friday to join her husband at Denver.

Mrs. L. Frank has taken a home on Ware avenue and Locust streets.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Bushnell leave with their family to-day for the sea shore.

Miss Sheppard left last week to visit her old home and people at Cleveland, O.

Mr. Wm. C. Gibson returned on Saturday from a trip of a week up the river.

Mrs. H. Clay Pearce and children have gone to Wentworth for the summer months.

Miss Emma Carr is with Mrs. Chas Cabanne and family summering at Hyannisport.

Miss Francis Gruber left on Monday for Minneapolis, where she will spend her vacation.

Miss MacWilliams, who has been visiting Miss Daisy Sharp, has returned to her home.

Col. and Mrs. Kelly arrived at Denver, where they will spend the summer with their family.

Mrs. Donovan and family will spend the summer at their country place in the interior.

Miss Sophie Strauss of Jefferson City is visiting Mrs. S. Wetsborg of Chestnut street.

Mrs. D. Crawford and family have closed their house for the season and have gone East.

Mrs. Jeff Clark, who has been visiting Mrs. Wm. Glasgow, leaves this week for the seashore.

Miss Bessie Stone goes next month to visit Miss Josie Lindley at their cottage at Sweet Springs.

Miss McWilliams, who has been visiting Miss Daisy Sharp, has returned to her home at Chicago.

Mrs. Robert Kern and family will go to Bourbon County, Ky., to visit Mr. Kern's relatives.

Mrs. Adolph Glazer, accompanied by Miss Dora Scherzer, leave to-night for Long Branch and Saratoga.

Miss Mamie Duncan is spending the summer months with her cousin, Mrs. Henry Meier, on Delmar avenue.

Mr. Charles Young has purchased a home in Cabanne place, of which they will take possession in the fall.

Mr. George Green, who has been spending his vacation at Lake Minnetonka, will return home on Monday evening.

Mrs. A. Nathan of 319 Montrose avenue will leave with her family for the East in two weeks to be absent all summer.

Col. and Mrs. W. L. Ford left on Thursday with their children for Virginia. She will be absent all summer visiting his relatives.

Master Leone Gale is in the country visiting Mrs. R. M. Whitehead at Selica, Mo. He is enjoying the hunting and fishing immensely.

Mrs. McCreery of Twenty-seventh and Pine streets will leave to-night with her daughter, Miss Mary McCreery, for the seaside resorts.

Mrs. Dunnica and her daughter, Miss Lily Dunnica, have left this week to spend their vacation with her married daughter in Illinois.

Misses Therese and Celeste Wilkinson will leave this evening for Minneapolis with a party. Miss Mamie Darly will be of the number.

Miss Belle Norwitz of 3302 Pine street, who has been visiting friends in Newark, N. J., goes to Asbury Park in July to spend the summer.

Mrs. H. H. Morgan and family returned yesterday from a visit to Marietta, O. They will leave soon to go to Waukesha for the summer.

Miss Ida Vetsburg of Chestnut street will leave in a few weeks for a visit to her relatives in Cincinnati and other northern points. She will be absent several weeks.

A Vermont Town Burning.

EAST WALLINGFORD, Vt., June 27.—A destructive fire is raging here and the town is threatened. The Rutland Fire Department has arrived at the scene. Abel Ray's house and four barns and 400,000 feet of lumber have already burned. A strong wind is blowing.

Belleville.

Mr. A. Hope of Alton, the Democratic candidate for Congress, was in the city to-day.

The business of the May term of the Circuit Court will probably be finished up next week.

August Gross was fined $3 and costs yesterday by Justice Bauman for disorderly conduct.

The St. George's Church picnic, which was to have taken place at Falling Springs to-day, has been postponed on account of the weather.

The teachers in attendance at the institute are arranging for a musical and elocutionary entertainment to be given at Liederkranz Hall to-morrow evening.

The New York Life Insurance Co., through its Belleville agent, Mr. Charles Hilgard, paid $4,000 yesterday to Mrs. Augusta Kirscher, widow of the late Joseph Kirscher, whose life was insured for that amount in the company.

William Mullen pleaded guilty to-day in the Circuit Court to stealing a watch from O. W. Helmoth. Mullen had been in jail since June 9 on account of his inability to furnish $300 bond. He will be sent to prison for two years.

The physicians attending the miners who were injured at March's mine Monday report their patients as doing well. Oscar Moehrl and Charles Wreaner are not out of danger, but their condition yesterday was considerably improved.

The case of Charles Schuchhardt vs. The City of Belleville was tried by a jury in the Circuit Court yesterday. The plaintiff claimed $500 damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by him recently by a fall while walking along a defective sidewalk on a certain street. The jury returned a sealed verdict in favor of the defendant.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' COLLEGE.

Thirty-Seventh Annual Commencement at the Olympic This Afternoon.

The thirty-seventh annual commencement of the College of the Christian Brothers began at 2 p. m. to-day at the Olympic Theater. Long before the hour set for the exercises the friends of the college and of the students began to gather in numbers, and at the hour mentioned the Olympic was holding its largest audience for the season. The parquette, dress circle, boxes and all the galleries were packed with ladies and gentlemen, and standing room was at a premium in all parts of the house. The students of the college were grouped upon the stage, the graduates and those about to receive the honors being arranged in the front rows. The programme was made up largely of vocal and instrumental music and orations and declamations by members of the graduating class. The orations were: "Ruinous Isms of the Day," by Michael J. Barrett; "The Safeguards of Our Social System," by Bernard X. O'Reilly; "Our Dailies," by Walter W. Fraul; the Master's oration, "Some Factors in Our Civilization," was delivered by Rev. Jeremiah T. Foley; it was a masterly effort and was listened to with great attention by the many friends of the young priest and by the audience generally. The address to the graduates was delivered by Rev. P. W. Tallon, rector of the Holy Name Church. Jeffrey J. Walsh of the collegiate graduating class delivered the valedictory address, his subject being, "Religio, Mores, Cultura," the college motto. The honors and medals were then conferred by Rev. Brother Faulian, President of the college, assisted by the faculty, as follows:

HONORS.

Master of Arts—Rev. Jeremiah T. Foley, S. T. B.; Dr. Elisha H. Gregory, Jr., Matthew A. Demoss.

Bachelor of Arts, Degree in Course—Michael J. Barrett, Walter W. Fraul, Gerald M. Buckley, Bernard X. O'Reilly, Jeffrey J. Walsh, Joseph C. Christen, T. Albin Layton.

Master of Accounts—John A. McKeown, Christy M. Porter, Daniel J. Dwyer, John A. McDonald, John P. Creedon, Harry E. Benson, Hugh J. Casey, Dennis J. Tuohy, John J. Geoks and Otto J. Ludewig.

Doctor of Music—Prof. Frank Gecks, Sr.

MEDALS.

Lucas Medal—Literature, Michael J. Barrett.

Gregory Medal—Classics, Bernard X. O'Reilly.

Brennan Medal—Mathematics, Walter W. Fraul.

College Medal—Philosophy, Jeffrey J. Walsh.

Faulian Medal—Elocution—Gerald M. Buckley.

Fox Medal—Excellence in Collegiate Department, J. Edley England.

Fitzgerald Medal—Excellence in Commercial Department, John A. McKeown.

Best Essay—Junior Class, Julius V. Boucher.

Best Essay—Sophomore Class, Richard J. O'Reilly.

Best Essay—Freshman Class, Joseph A. Gazzolo.

Music Medal—Conde M. Nast.

SICK OF THE "SHADOW."

The Queer Charge on Which Rudolph Marx, a Tailor, Was Acquitted.

Rudolph Marx was tried by a jury in Judge Cady's court this morning on a charge of disturbing the peace of Mrs. H. A. Schmidt, wife of the Olive street tailor. The case grew out of the trouble Mr. Schmidt is having with his tailors. He recently imported some tailors from Germany, it is alleged, to take the places of the higher priced hands he had at work. When Schmidt's old tailors were thrown out of employment they issued a circular calling on the people to boycott his place because he employed "imported green German scab labor." The strikers endeavored to learn where Schmidt was having his work done—that is his sewing which is always done outside the shop. Mrs. Schmidt entered a street car with a bundle of work one day and Marx, who is one of the discharged hands, got in the same car and followod her, riding in every street car which she took. He wanted to learn where she left the work. Finally she had him arrested. At the trial all testimony concerning the strike was sliminated, and only the testimony concerning the actual offense admitted, that is only testimony in regard to his having followed her and getting on the same street cars and riding with her. Schmidt testified that Marx was an Anarchist, but was not allowed to say how he knew this. The jury discharged Marx.

AN EX-POSTMASTER IN TROUBLE.

A Damage Suit for Malicious Prosecution—Late Notes in Court.

Absalom Pace, formerly Postmaster at Salem, Mo., was brought before United States Commissioner Crawford this afternoon on the charge of abstracting money from two letters addressed to the *Journal of Agriculture* in this city. His own recognizance in the sum of $500 was taken for appearance at the November term of the District Court.

The quo warranto proceedings in the matter of the Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Honor will not be heard in the Circuit Court until the October term. The writ is made returnable October 1.

A damage suit for malicious prosecution was entered this afternoon in the Circuit Court by Alexander and Sarah Driscoll against Joseph Lutz. They allege that criminal proceedings were commenced in the Court of Criminal Correction against Sarah Driscoll on the false charge of grand larceny and that the case was ultimately dismissed for want of prosecution.

The publication controversy of the Druggist Publishing Co. vs. Meyer et al. was dismissed this afternoon in the Circuit Court by the plaintiffs.

Circuit Court No. 4, Judge Dillon's division, adjourned this afternoon until Friday morning.

The Public Administrator has taken charge of the estate of James E. Loomis.

The law docket will be called to-morrow morning in Judge Barclay's court, No. 8.

In the suit of Erastus H. Warner vs. Elijah White, judgment for plaintiff for $371.36 was rendered this afternoon in the Circuit Court.

Judge Noonan's Docket.

In Judge Noonan's court to-day a nolle prosequi was entered in the case of Frank Weber and Fred Hamilton, charged with bringing stolen property into the State. They were charged with bringing $26 worth of brasses stolen from the Chicago & Alton Railroad in Illinois, into the State, and the case was nolle prosequied because the defendants have been turned over to the Illinois authorities.

Willie Summers was sent to jail for three months for stealing a $6 coat from A. G. Metzler.

Wm. and Pat Gallagher, charged with assault to kill, and Alfred Paul, charged with the same offense, had examinations and were discharged.

James Martin was tried for petit larceny and discharged.

The case of Robert Matthews, charged with petit larceny, was dismissed for want of prosecution.

Edward Thomas, charged with petit larceny, jumped his bond.

From Work-House to the Penitentiary.

William Eldridge, alias Edwards, who has just been released from the Work-house, where he served a year, pleaded guilty to-day in the Criminal Court to an indictment against him for grand larceny and was sent to the penitentiary for two years. He stole a silk dress valued at $50 from a messenger boy of the Excelsior Messenger & Cab Co. Eldridge's racket was to stop messengers who had bundles and request them to go brief errands for him, promising them 25 cents for their trouble. He would offer to hold their parcel until they returned. When they returned both Eldridge and the bundle would have disappeared, the errand he sent the boy on being a blind.

The Dog Suffered.

Eve Boatain and her sister, colored, quarreled at 9 o'clock this morning at their residence on the fourth floor of No. 615 Spruce street about the latter breaking a lead pencil belonging to the former. Eve became so enraged during the quarrel that she threw her sister's dog out of the window, injuring it so badly that the police had to kill it. Officers Hannon and Hollowood arrested Eve for cruelty to animals.

The Silver Brick Case.

The case of Joseph Guyall, charged with stealing a silver brick from the Pacific Express Company, by whom he was employed as a porter, is on trial in the Criminal Court again to-day.

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

A New Method of Regulating Railroad Clocks All Over the Country.

For fifteen years watchmakers and other experimenters with the delicate mechanism that makes the "wheels go wound" have been exhausting their ingenuity in an attempt to perfect a system by which the clocks of an extensive section of country might be regulated from some central point or station at the same time and as often as might be thought best. To be sure the idea has in some degree been carried out in this country by the establishment of such stations as the one located at Washington University, whence at 10 o'clock every morning is flashed over the wires the exact hour and second, hundreds of railway station agents in an almost incredible scope of territory thus being kept advised once in twenty-four hours of the merits of their clocks, and whether they require regulation. Then if the agent in particular he will move the hands of his time-piece if need be, but it may nevertheless gain or lose several minutes in the course of the succeeding hours until he is once more admonished of its faults, or he may neglect altogether to turn the hands. Everybody knows the importance to the railway conductor of an accurate watch and how many of the roads have gone so far as to insist that the time-pieces of the train men shall be subject to overhauling by inspectors appointed for the purpose. With the increase of this particular vigilance, made doubly necessary by the liability to magnetization and mishaps of the rail, has grown the desire on each man's part that his watch shall not vary in the least, but as clocks and watches along a big system will insist upon disagreeing more or less, the need of some standard has become more and more apparent. It is said that the Standard Oil Co. controls a patent which regulates from a distance the hands of

A NUMBER OF CLOCKS

when they do not vary more than a fraction of a minute from the correct time, but this is merely a step in the direction contemplated.

What has been desired is the automatic regulation at any distance of any number of clocks to those owners the variation of the pendulum's swing but a few seconds each hour means a great deal. It is to this that Watch Inspector A. G. Wiseman of the Mobile & Ohio Railroad has been devoting himself for two years, and there is every reason to believe that his efforts have at last been crowned with success. The simple mechanism to which he has devoted so much labor has been examined at Washington, the patent passed upon and the papers are now on their way to this city. By means of this invention an operator may sit in St. Louis, and by pressing an electric button actually set town clocks hundreds of miles, or for that matter, thousands of miles distant. Should the system be fully developed and adopted stations would doubtless be located at intervals, say one to every degree, so that all the towns and stations along the line of a railway would be uniform in the time kept by their clocks. The motive power is, of course, electricity, an electric battery being placed under each clock it is designed to regulate, and connecting with a wire from the central station. Then at the stroke of every hour, or every fifteen minutes, if so desired, the operator, governed by an indicator, presses the button and the wire leading into every clock adjusts minute and second hand to their proper places. Simple though the mechanism be that performs this feat, a written description of it is somewhat difficult. Connecting with the second hand is a system of cog wheels operated by a lever. When

THIS LEVER IS PULLED

by the wire the second hands are made to revolve from left to right completely around its circuit, when, the force expended, it pauses exactly on the same dot. The wire is also connected with an adjoining piece of mechanism, all of which is compactly stowed away in the clock for the regulation of the minute hand. The four quarters of the hour or circle around which revolves the minute-hand are indicated by the four angles of an otherwise circular piece of metal that fits about the pinion of the hand. By an ingenious device a little steel bar is made to press under the cone-like surface of one of the pinion-wheels, the mechanism is lifted from its disc or socket to permit of free circular action and the square edge of one of the angles referred to then comes in juxtaposition with the bar, thus setting the minute hand on the dot of the correct quarter.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

A Dull Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

To-day's sales were very light and prices generally lower.

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Frisco held its own and a little more. On the street $1.30 was freely bid, with no takers, the first sale being one of 200 shares at $1.32½. On 'Change more than 1,200 shares sold at $1.35, at which the stock closed, $1.32½ being bid for 1,000-share lots.

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Pat Murphy was in good demand, and sold freely. Opening at 70 bid, it rose to 72½, at which 400 shares were disposed of, and closed with transfers amounting to 700 shares at 73¾.

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News was received from the San Pedro to the effect that the mine was looking well, and work progressing rapidly; 400 shares sold on the street at 40.

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Jumbo was 22½ bid, offered at 23¾; Adams was offered at $3.25; 65 was bid for Jumper; Silver Age was 40 bid, 47½ offered; 18¾ was bid for Rena; 82½ was bid for Golden Era; offered at 87½; 200 West Granite sold at 31¼; Dinero was offered at 15; 32½ was bid for Cariboo; Wire Patch was 32½ bid, offered at 33¾; Cleveland was 6 bid, offered at 9; Hope was offered at $6.15; Central Silver was offered at 40; 26¼ bid for Black Oak; Mascotte was offered at $1.10; I. X. L. was offered at 7½.

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The Buckskin reports that it has 5 feet of $50 ore in the upraise, and that very likely the same chute of ore will be found in drifting from the tunnel. There are said to be 500 tons of ore on the dump.

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The Granite Mountain has declared a dividend of $100,000—25 cents a share—payable on July 10. The books will be closed from July 2 until July 10. When this dividend is paid the sum distributed to the stockholders since April 1885, will amount to $4,800,000.

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The weekly shipment of the Hope amounted to 3,702 ounces of silver. The battery assay ran 28 ounces of silver; trailings, 5 ounces; per cent saved, 81. A telegram has been received stating that there is less quartz in the Silver Chief, but that it is of better grade.

Carondelet Jottings.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Everest and Miss Alma Doering left this morning for an extended visit to Europe.

At the meeting of Olive Branch, 319, K. and L. of H. last evening the following gentlemen were elected as officers to serve for the ensuing year: Otto Miller, Protector; R. Westhaus, Vice Protector; M. Ebling, Secretary; G. Stackl, Financial Secretary; S. Beckman, Treasurer; Robert Lloyd, Guide; K. Ruhl, Chaplain; J. O'Keefe, Sentinel and J. Watkins, Guardian.

A number of negroes residing on Pennsylvania avenue, near the River des Peres, who have become so violent as to almost run the town, were arrested by Capt. Sam Boyd last night on complaint of Mr. John Welsh and others, who stated that the negroes were constantly quarreling and fighting. They were before Justice Meegan this morning, who fined James Homer, $10 and costs, and Dora Homer, $15 and costs, sending both to the Work-house. The rest were let go on promise of good behavior.

Will Close.

The managers of the Western Steel Works stated positively this afternoon that they would cease to operate the Jupiter Iron Works as soon as the furnaces could be blown out. The works were not much damnaged by the fire. The closing of the works will throw 126 men out of employment.

Change in Base Ball Rules.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 27.—John I. Rogers, Secretary of the Joint Committee on Base Ball Rules, announces that the committee has unanimously voted to take base on balls from the error column. The base on balls will still remain as a factor in earned runs.

Mrs. R. W. Pavey and daughter, Miss Maud, of 4217 Easton avenue, left yesterday for Memphis to meet New Orleans friends.

HARVARD COMMENCEMENT.

A Large Attendance at the Exercises—Honorary Degrees Conferred.

BOSTON, Mass., June 28.—This morning Gov. Ames and staff, escorted by the National Lancers, proceeded to Harvard College to attend the commencement exercises. They were received by President Eliot and escorted to Sanders' Theater, where the literary exercises took place. After prayer by the Rev. F. G. Peabody, the following exercises were carried out by the graduating class: Latin oration, John W. H. Walden; Disquisitions, "The Intellectual Side of American Character," Jacob M. Hallowell; "Marcus Arelius as a Man of Action," Herman Page; "Moral Rationality," Charles T. Semper; Oration "The Realistic Movement From an Ethical Point of View," Frederick H. Means. "Industrial Training in Our Public Schools," William G. Thompson. A number of other papers were prepared, but not read. The following honorary degrees were conferred:

Master of Arts—Honoris Cassa, Edward Burgess, William Endicott, Jr., and Rev. John W. Chadwick.

Doctor of Laws—Chas. Stebbins Fairchild, Jos. H. Choate and Prof. W. Gibbs.

Doctor of Divinity Abiel Abbott Livermore, President of Meadville Seminary. Mr. Fairchild is the present Secretary of the Treasury, and Edward Burgess is known to the public as the designer of the Volunteer, Puritan and Mayflower.

INDIAN OUTRAGES.

Murderous Attacks on Herders by Apaches—A Bloody Revenge.

NOGALES, Ariz., June 27.—Much excitement has been created by two outrages recently committed by a small band of Apache Indians in the Ariope District, Sonora, Mexico. A band attacked two herders, shot one and strung the other up to a tree, leaving him to die. He was afterwards cut down by friends and his life saved. Two days later the Indians came upon two Mexicans in a wagon. One was shot, but the other escaped. The marauders then left for the hills, leaving one of their number drunk and asleep in the brush. A party of Mexican custom officers found the sleeping Indian later and cut his throat.

A Big Batch of Honorary Degrees.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 27.—President Dwight this morning announced the following honorary degrees:

Doctor of Divinity, the Rev. President Patton of Princeton College.

Doctors of Laws, Justice Stanley Matthews of the United States Supreme Court; Dr. Wm. T. Helmouth of New Haven; Rev. Samuel Perkins of Philadelphia; Hon. Henry C. Robinson of Hartford, Hon. Andrew D. White of Ithaca, N. Y., and Hon. Wm. C. Whitney, Secretary of the Navy.

Masters of Arts—Samuel L. Clemens of Hartford, Hon. Henry Stoddard of New Haven, Alvan Adee, Second Assistant Secretary of State, of Washington; Rev. B. Sanford of Westbrook, Conn.; Frederick Goodrich, U. S. N.; Dr. Stephen Pierson of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Chas. G. Bartlett of Lyme; Hon. Wm. H. Jordan of San Francisco; President George Bendelari of Yale College; Prof. Alfred L. Ripley of Yale College.

The Pennsylvania Management.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 27.—Frank Thomson was to-day elected First Vice-President of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. at a meeting of the Board of Directors. His duties will be considerably enlarged and he will at the same time continue at the head of the transportation department and the passenger and freight departments, which have been under his charge since 1883, when he succeeded A. J. Cassatt. Joseph N. Dubarry was elected Second Vice-President and John P. Green Third Vice-President. These gentleman, besides continuing in their present lines of duty, will have supervision, the former over the Treasury Department, and the latter over the Accounting Department.

Steve Elkins in Town.

Steven B. Elkins arrived in the city this morning and registered at the Southern. Mr. Elkins has just returned from Chicago where he remained until the convention closed and one day later. He will probably remain several days in the city for the purpose of attending to his private business.

Marketable Horses.

We copy the following suggestions from the *National Live Stock Journal:*

The value of a horse when offered for sale in the markets of large cities depends, in a great measure, upon his appearance, and this in turn upon the way in which he has been handled from the time when broken to harness. We refer now particularly to the class of horses selected for driving purposes, though prompt active movement on the part of a draft team will add materially to their selling value over the span that is slow and awkward. It is generally the case that farmers consider they must, except in rare cases, sell for quite moderate prices, and even when they believe the animal they offer has special merit, they appear to think this must be developed and made available by some expert handler. While practice in any line makes a man more skillful, it does not follow that by using some pains with his young horse stock a farmer may not very materially add to their value, and this, too, without any special expense in the way of vehicles, etc., or devoting much extra time to it. One of the best qualities in a horse for either driving or draft work is a prompt, rapid walk, and the colt, when broken, may be taught this by the farmer quite readily, if he will only handle him properly. There is more or less driving on the road and light work on the farm, when the colt can be taught to walk at a good rate, and unless of a very sluggish disposition, he will soon need no urging in this respect. The disposition of the man is quite often shown in his team. If of a slow, careless disposition himself his horses are allowed to move at a lazy, slouchy gait, and when the habit is once formed they are not easily broken of it. An expert is required to make a desirable team out of such material. Granting that the work of the farm may be done by very ordinary appearing horses, it should be borne in mind that farmers do not, as a rule, at least, expect to raise a team with a view of keeping them until worn out at service on the farm, and hence, should study to develop them in the way that will make them the most salable when they come to part with them. The increased value of the horse, secured by proper handling, affords a handsome profit for many men who watch promising young horses, and, having bought them from farmers at quite moderate figures, give them a few weeks of training that often works such a transformation the former owner would hardly recognize them. Quite a share of this enhanced value might be gained by the raiser of the horse if he would take the proper course.

Some men, it is true, are not at all fitted for work of this kind, being careless, quick-tempered and lacking judgment and taste; but more often the loss suffered is the result of the idea that special ability and long practice are required. Let the breeder begin by making selections of good mares, and then mate them properly, following this up by careful and patient handling of the colts, keeping in mind all the while the use for which they are intended, and seeking to develop them for doing that work well, and he will find quite a difference in his returns in the end.

With the heavier and more sluggish horses there is not the same necessity for constant watchfulness and careful handling that there is with the more nervous and active young horses of the lighter breeds that are so often so high spirited that it is with difficulty they can be broken to do farm work. Such horses, unless watched constantly, are liable to become frightened and get away, in which case they are rendered unsafe, except in the hands of most skilful drivers.

Happiness Ahead for One Husband.

From Texas Siftings.

Young housekeeper (to butcher): "Have you roast beef?"

Butcher: "Yes, ma'am."

"Do you keep on the ice?"

"Oh, yes, ma'am."

"Then you may send me some. My husband told me only this morning that he is very fond of cold roast beef."

S. J. BEAN, agent for the Selma-Hess Book Publishing Co. of New York, who was arrested at Union Depot last night on a charge of fraud, was released to-day, no one appearing against him.

Miss Bettie De Jarnette will leave the city this week for her old home in Kentucky, where she will spend the summer visiting friends.

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HOW GIRLS BUY THEIR CLOTHES.

The Popularity of the Installment Plan Among Wage Earners.

From the New York Telegram.

"There's nothing you can't buy on the installment plan," remarked an up-town matron to a *Telegram* reporter yesterday.

"My husband says he don't see how poor folks lived when they couldn't buy new furniture on weekly payments.

"You can get everything, pianos and sewing-machines, clothes and shoes, in the same way.

"And, really, installment goods are almost as cheap as those sold for cash. It wasn't so at first; there used to be a heavy per cent added, but the trade has grown so immensely that dealers make their profits on the increased sales. I priced an article of furniture the other day at an installment house and then at several cash houses, and prices were even higher at the cash stores.

"Women buy their dresses that way, and shoes, too, and I heard a story the other day about a young girl, an acquaintance of mine, who was desperately smitten with the beaded capes—what your fashion man calls a 'jet bespread business.' A beaded cape she had to have. The cheapest one that suited her cost $10, and she had but 55 cents to spare.

"But she cultivated a young lady clerk in the big dry goods establishment where the cape of her heart's desire was displayed and together they managed to secure it.

"The house doesn't usually sell on installments, but the cape was supposed to be for the clerk. The terms were 'nothing down and 25 cents a week until paid.' The young woman was at the theater last night with the new cape, worn over a dress that was also bought on installment, and the young gentleman who escorts her probably got his spring suit in the same way. It'll take just forty weeks to pay for that cape. Talk about 'devotion to dress!' No one but a working-girl knows the full meaning of that phrase.

"A woman came into my house yesterday with a lot of ladies' apparel, underwear, wrappers, skirts, etc., as samples. She takes orders on these goods and sells on the installment plan. You give her the measure and tell her just how you want an article made, what goods you want used, and she buys her own material (so there is no risk for you in it), and brings it to you. If you are suited with it you pay 50 cents a week. Nothing can be more convenient for women whose time is as limited as their income. You have no idea how much time it takes just to do the buying for a woman's wardrobe, especially when economy is a necessity.

"This woman had a long list of regular customers, some of their accounts running well up toward $100. That's the great trouble about buying on the installment plan; you keep adding something. An installment bill is apt to be mighty long-lived; it gets longer at one end as fast as it gets shorter at the other.

"The installment system is developed in hundreds of different lines of trade. I wonder who first put it in operation? It has completely revolutionized business in many branches, and has a wonderful effect on the everyday living of the poor and middle classes. There are few 'furnished-room houses' not started this way."



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(Signed) IGNAZ KAPPNER,
Business Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of May, 1888.

BENJ. A. SUPPAN,
Notary Public, St. Louis, Mo.

The circulation of the Post-Dispatch in the City of St. Louis is LARGER than that of any other newspaper. The books of the Post-Dispatch are always open and Advertisers are requested to verify for themselves our statement that our City Circulation is the LARGEST.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1888.

BLUE

The indications for twenty-four hours, commencing at 3 p. m. to-day, for Missouri are: Light to fresh northerly winds; slightly cooler; local rains.

FOR the prospect of a decent campaign let us all be truly thankful.

MR. GLOVER is receiving valuable support in his gubernatorial aspirations from the opposition of the *Globe-Democrat*.

THE country is not favorably impressed by the evident skullduggery which controlled the management of the Chicago Convention.

THE record of HARRISON on the civil-service reform question is a warning to President CLEVELAND to get rid as speedily as possible of his barnacular, spoils-seeking encumbrances.

BRER JONES seems to have relinquished his intention of explaining how the POST-DISPATCH ought to be conducted. His time seems to be quite fully occupied in apologizing for his own fakes.

BOTH parties have nominated, but Congress is still in session. Events in Washington before that body adjourns may not only shake the wavering balance between the two tickets, but decisively shape the verdict of the people.

WHEN Gen. HARRISON ran against VAN BUREN in 1836 he was beaten. When he beat VAN BUREN in 1840 the Democratic party had been in power for twelve consecutive years. If history is going to repeat itself in the name of HARRISON this time, CLEVELAND will be elected and HARRISON will have to wait and try it again.

HARRISON has always had a presentiment that he would be President. His great-grandfather was a Governor, his grandfather a President, his father a Congressman, and he naturally felt that it ran in the family to "get there." Perhaps if he had not been so full of this idea he would have been more genial and popular in Indiana and in the Senate.

DEPEW and the other agents of monopoly made a bad mess of the Republican platform, and did all that one side can do towards defining the issue between parties as one of Monopoly vs. Anti-monopoly. The President and the Democrats in Congress have a fine opportunity either to evade that issue or to accept it, and make it so clear as to rally an overwhelming majority of the voters to the Democratic standard.

GEN. BEN HARRISON is a descendant of the "Cavaliers of Virginia" and not of the "Roundheads of New England," or Old England either, as the Republican organs are claiming. The claim that the Virginia HARRISONS were descendants of Col. THOMAS HARRISON, one of the old Roundhead regicides who emigrated to New England, has been often refuted. Gen. HARRISON'S ancestor, BENJAMIN HARRISON of Surrey County, Va., was born in that county in 1645, while Col. THOMAS HARRISON and CROMWELL were fighting in the campaign which made King CHARLES their prisoner, and Col. THOMAS HARRISON was still in England and was one of the men who doomed CHARLES to death in 1649, when this Virginia BEN HARRISON was 4 years old. The latter was so far from sympathizing with the Roundheads that his tomb in the old Surrey County church-yard bore the inscription that he "was always loyal to his Prince."

WHEN they say that MORTON'S nomination for Vice-President was in return for "substantial service he rendered BLAINE in 1884" they are drawing it mild. The reference is to something more substantial than that "Belshazzar Banquet" given by Mr. MORTON'S coterie of money kings just before the election. But gratitude in politics is a lively sense of favors to come, and MORTON was nominated for the "substantial service" his "bar'l" is expected to render in the pending campaign, not for any service it rendered in vain four years ago. It was the longest purse that knocked down that second place persimmon.

SPEAKING of HARRISON Col. JOSEPH MEDILL praises his family pedigree and says the *Tribune* will give "such support to the nominee as his record shall justify," but gives fair notice that "the evo-"lutionary process of mental reconcile-"ment is the best that can be applied in "such cases." As for the platform, Col. MEDILL figuratively spits upon it, as HORACE GREELEY spat upon the Whig platform of 1852, and refuses to plunge with his party into that "immoral morass." There is no "evolutionary process of mental reconcilement" which can reconcile the Colonel to the free whisky and trust monopoly tariff policy.

THE conventions of the two great parties have acted, and the choice of the American people for President is now practically restricted to two men. Both are men of honorable records, and the contest promises to be a cleaner one than we had four years ago, but a heated and doubtful one. The tickets are both strong and unassailable, so far as personal character is concerned. Mr. CLEVELAND has been President for nearly four years and all the acts and tendencies of his Administration will be assailed fiercely. On the other hand, the plutocratic interests and influences that surround HARRISON will be bitterly arraigned, and will make for him and for their own monopoly interests the hottest money fight that has ever been witnessed in the contested States.

AFTER striving for years to rescue its own party and its own "Granger States" from the greedy dominion of plutocrats representing railroad monopolies and trust monopolies, the Chicago *Tribune* is obliged to confess outright that the land grabbers, the "crooked railroad attorneys," the "plutocratic Treasury robbers," and the "banded monopoly forces" assumed complete control of the recent Republican Convention and dictated both ticket and platform. The way to cure a party of the bad habit of surrendering to such forces is to oppose and defeat it at the polls until it reforms. But the *Tribune* manages to convince itself that CLEVELAND is also a tool of the monopolists; that "whichever way the election goes the crooked railroad gang will win," and that "to bolt HARRISON would be simply "jumping out of the frying-pan into the "fire." It is just that kind of pretext for abject submission that encourages and enables "the banded monopolists" to overawe the politicians of both parties and rule the country no matter which party wins.

PICTURES of "the old log cabin at North Bend, celebrated in the campaign of 1840," are now paraded as pictures of "Gen. BEN HARRISON'S birthplace." Pictures of that old cabin were frauds in 1840. The old Harrison mansion as it stood then at North Bend has since been pointed out to millions of railroad passengers. It was in its day the roomiest and most aristocratic mansion in all that region. The son of Gov. BEN HARRISON of Virginia was provided with an Ensign's commission in the United States Army at the age of 18, was a Lieutenant on Gen. WAYNE'S staff at 19, and at the age of 20 was Captain and commandant at Fort Washington, now Cincinnati, on the Ohio, just above North Bend. He rapidly rose to be a General in the army in command of the Northwest frontier, was Governor of the Northwest Territory, Territorial Delegate in Congress, Indian Agent, Member of Congress from Ohio, United States Senator from Ohio, United States Minister to Colombia, and otherwise in constant and lucrative public employment until he became President of the United States. His grandson, the Republican nominee, was born in 1833, just three years before Gen. WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON became the Whig candidate for President, and did not have to be born in an old cabin worse than any occupied by the domestic servants or even the horses of the family.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

In the Upper Walks of Life.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Will you please call the attention of the Street Inspector to a new pavement laid for N. O. Nelson in front of his residence, 3434 Morgan street? It is six (6) inches above the adjoining pavement, and has already caused many to stumble and fall. Who will be responsible for injuries caused by the same?

St. Louis, June 26, 1888. CITIZEN.

It Is Never in Order.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Is it now in order for the crank who takes votes on the trains and steamboats to make his quadrennial appearance in the land?

OLD CARONDELET.

South St. Louis, Mo., June 25, 1888.

MR. W. C. STEIGERS

Will call on merchants wishing to contract for advertising in POST-DISPATCH. Telephone 284.

THE FAKER UNFAKED.

BRER JONES EXPLAINS HOW HE FAKED THE SMITH INTERVIEW.

He Confesses That His Reporter Never Saw Smith—Not One Word of the Interview Was True—Mr. Smith Denied Correction or Redress.

Overwhelmed by the evidences of his mendacity, duplicity and treachery in his dealings with his subscribers, as exposed in yesterday's POST-DISPATCH, Brer Jones of the *Republic*, who is yet young in crime, last night attempted to patch up some hasty defense, no matter how flimsy, some palliation or excuse in mitigation of the censure brought down on him by the revelation of his abuse of the name of a reputable clergyman.

It is only reasonable to assume that Brer Jones is yet young in crime because the defense which he attempts to make only aggravates the offense, and reveals in more startling aspects the impudence of the fraud as it was perpetrated.

In the defense, Brer Jones says that "a member of the *Republic's* staff" heard from a Mr. Conners of Dallas that a Dallas clergyman, the Rev. A. P. Smith, had been in Washington when Cleveland received the news of his renomination. Here is the story as Brer Jones tells it this morning:

Mr. Connor stated that in the conversation just held with Mr. Smith, the latter had related to him the fact that he was making a call on the President at the time Mr. Cleveland received the telegram notifying him of his renomination by the Democratic Convention; that Mr. Cleveland had shown him, Smith, the telegram, and that he, Smith, was then holding the President's hand and about to take his departure from the White House. On seeing the contents of the telegram, Mr. Smith released Mr. Cleveland's hand, and raising his own hands above the President, gave him God's blessing for himself, the Democratic party and his administration.

Brer Jones says that a reporter was detailed to find Mr. Smith, but with the usual luck of the *Republic* he failed to find him.

But the story was so well authenticated and came through so reliable a channel, that the reporter put it into the form of an interview with Mr. Smith and handed it in for publication under the firm conviction that he was relating nothing more than the unqualified truth.

Now the readers of the *Republic* know just what foundation of fact the story rests on. The evasion of responsibility by Brer Jones and the implied censure of the reporter who obeyed instructions is about as contemptible a thing as can be imagined, especially when one part of the faked interview was dictated by Brer Jones and known by him to be not the unqualified truth, but an unqualified lie. On that slim foundation of fact, utterly and wholly denied, repudiated and branded as false by the clergyman whose name was misused, Brer Jones concocted this monstrous fiction; a fair sample of the faked specials and false interviews with which he is abusing the confidence of his readers. We reprint it in full as a specimen of impudent forgery worth studying:

"You are rightly informed, sir. I recently had an experience with the President that was not only extremely interesting, but to me it was one of the most solemn episodes of my life, and an occasion never to be forgotten. I have been for the past three weeks in attendance in the Southern Presbyterian conference at Baltimore and the Union conference at Philadelphia. On my return I stopped off at Washington and called on President Cleveland. I was received with a frank courtesy I can never forget. I was immensely surprised at the intimate knowledge of Texas displayed by the President. His grasp was wider and more accurate information regarding the State than half of its residents, and I confess I felt considerably chagrined when more than once I was obliged to confess my ignorance in reply to his questions. I also enjoyed the honor of a presentation to Mrs. Cleveland. I have met many charming and beautiful women in my day, but never one more attractive than she. I do not think the newspapers have exaggerated her charms of manner and person an iota—in fact, I do not think the English language affords a term that can overpaint the virtues and attractions of a thoroughly good and beautiful woman. But I am forgetting what I was to tell you about. As I was leaving the White House the President came graciously forward to shake hands with me, and while I still grasped his hand a messenger entered in with a telegram, which, with an apology to me, he presented to the President. Mr. Cleveland opened, read it at a glance, and, without the quiver of a muscle in his face, continued his conversation with me. I imagined the dispatch related to some unimportant piece of State business, but, as I was leaving him, he handed it to me with a smile and said:

"'Perhaps you will be pleased to be among the first to know this piece of news!'

"I cannot describe to you my feelings when I read on that little slip of paper the announcement of the President's renomination! I could not offer stereotyped congratulations to a man so grandly calm and so wonderfully self-possessed, and as I looked at his strong, commanding and impassive features, I felt the inspiration of the hour and the man's singular and splendid fate, and I knew that he was the creature of a will even stronger than the will of the people, which had called him to the high place he so magnificently fills, and would maintain him there until his mission was ended. Lifting my hands above his head, I blessed him and his administration, in the name of Almighty God, and gave him cheer for the fight to come. He received my blessing with bowed head and remained an instant in the same position; then, with a gesture and a word, he thanked me and moved away. It was an impressive moment, and I do not believe there was a person in the room who did not feel a solemn conviction that he was looking upon the next President of the United States, beyond the power of mere partisan opposition to make otherwise."

Mr. Smith is a handsome man of imposing appearance, apparently about 50 years of age, though extremely well preserved, with bright, kindly blue eyes, prominent features and a corn-colored beard, worn in the Conkling style. He is one of the foremost divines of the country and took an important part in the proceedings of the recent Presbyterian conference. In concluding the interview he said:

"I am pleased to make the acquaintance of any one connected with the Republic. It is my favorite newspaper. And, by the way, I notice some important and very pleasing changes in the Old Reliable lately. Let me say, sir, that I think the change of name was the most wise made, and the improvements that have followed it make the paper what it ought to be—the best paper in the West, if not in the whole country."

There is only one circumstance to mention in addition. Brer Jones says that he received the Rev. Mr. Smith's letter demanding a correction only last Monday, June 25, and that "the reporter, being pressed by other work, neglected to do this immediately." Mr. Smith's language in his letter of even date with the one to Brer Jones says: "I have been trying ever since my return to get the St. Louis *Republic* to do me justice in the matter, but have failed so far."

Thus endeth the present chapter of Brer Jones' Faked Interview.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

CARONDELET.—Rain fell on fifteen days of the present month.

A DAILY READER.—A father has a right to inspect his minor daughters' letters.

A. W., Eighth street and Franklin avenue.—Your question is not clear. Write again.

SUBSCRIBER.—Father Matthias Lavelle is now curate at Menlough, in the Parish of Kilascobe, Diocese of Tuam, Ireland.

COAL OIL.—To remove coal-oil stains from your carpet, spread a little damp fullers' earth over the spot, brushing it off when dry.

A SUBSCRIBER.—1. Dealers offer no premium on a $5 gold piece of 1838. 2. We publish the address of coin dealers in the advertising columns only.

IGNORANCE.—Robert G. Ingersoll called Blaine "the Plumed Knight" and "Henry of Navarre" when he nominated him as a presidential candidate.

THREE SUBSCRIBERS.—If a man sells a horse for $100, buys him back for $75, and sells him again for $80, he is just $20 gainer on the three transactions you mention.

SCHOLASTICUS.—You are legally bound to pay the rent for the half month. The fact that the landlord treated you shabbily does not absolve you from payment in any way.

A READER—On a dime the side with the vignette or head is "heads" in matching. On a nickel without a vignette, and in all such coins, the side that bears the date is "heads."

G. H. A., East St. Louis, Ill.—The coins you mention are quoted as follows: 10-cent pieces of 1823, 75 cents; 10-cent pieces of 1832 and 1835, 30 cents; half dime of 1832, 20 cents; 3 cents, silver, 1852, 10 cents.

P. Z.—John Malone dressed a bullock, "gas-you-please style," in 3m. 40s., at Chicago, August 18, 1883. Walter Dennison dressed a bullock, "market style," in 4m. 29s., at the same time and place.

A DEMOCRAT.—The Democratic platform is not a free trade platform. The Democrats are not "for free trade on all imported articles." If you bet your friend $10 to $1 that the Democratic platform calls for tariff revision only, you win.

A RUMORED STRIKE.

Natural Gas Said to Be Flowing on Marshall's Farm, St. Louis County.

There was a rumor current in the city this morning that gas had been struck by the drill of the St. Louis Natural Gas Co. on Ernest Marshall's farm, near Marshall Station, St. Louis County. Mr. Marshall is a Deputy Collector under Freeman Barnum, Collector of Internal Revenue. He was about his duties this morning and could not be found. He had, however, told his associates in the Internal Revenue Office that gas had been struck, but the flow was not strong. Jonathan Watson, the Pennsylvanian, who has been identified with most of the experimental borings for gas in this section of the country, is on the Marshall farm, and has said that the indications are very good for striking a large body of gas within 200 feet. The driller, Mr. Carter, has not been in the city since Monday. He then said that the drill was down between 1,600 and 1,700 feet. The drill was nearly through the Trenton, in which formation it was expected gas would be found, and no indications of gas had appeared. He was not very hopeful of finding natural gas. Indeed his report was quite discouraging. Secretary W. E. Barns is out of the city. Neither Jonathan Watson nor Mr. Carter have been in the city for two days. President Thomas Howard had heard nothing about the strike. The boring has been going on for nearly two months on the Marshall farm. Previously the same company bored for gas near Edwardsville, Ill. They went down about 2,000 feet and found nothing but water and coal. They were encouraged to make an effort to find natural gas on this side of the river by reports of specialists, and obtained a large number of leases, under which they are entitled to sink gas wells on about five hundred acres of land in St. Louis County. At the time the Marshall farm was selected for the beginning of boring it was expected other wells would be sunk if the effort there should not be crowned with success, but the stockholders have latterly inclined to the view that fuel gas can be made so cheaply that searching for reservoirs of natural gas in the earth, even if the search should finally reveal such reservoirs, would be more expensive, particularly as it cannot be known when gas is struck how long it will last.

A FURNACE IN FLAMES.

Exciting Scenes at the Burning of the Jupiter Iron-Works.

A cloud of sparks blowing into the hoist at the Jupiter furnace on Davis street, Carondelet, about 8:30 o'clock last evening, fired the shaft, and the flames afterward spreading caused a loss of about $25,000. The hoist, used for raising ore and fuel from the store-house below, was of a highly inflammable nature, and was burned to the ground a short time after catching fire. The flames had no sooner attracted a curious crowd than three men were seen to be at work on the summit of the hoist, over seventy feet from the ground, and cut off from every avenue of escape from a cruel death. But just when their awful fate seemed imminent, some one climbed up the side of one of the hot-blast furnaces, and, whirling a rope about his head, swung it toward the unfortunates in the cupola. It was caught by one of the men and fastened to the belfry, so that the lives of all three were providentially saved. The nearest engine is two miles from the Jupiter works and some delay was suffered in sounding an alarm, owing to the peril of the three employes and the excitement attending the scene. The flames spread to the store-house, which was burned, a large amount of coke and iron ore being destroyed, in addition to the railroad track built on trestles. The Jupiter works, of which D. R. Garrison is president, were leased to the Western Steel Co. some time ago. The insurance on the building destroyed is $16,000, placed by Mr. Capen. Mr. Garrison stated this morning to a POST-DISPATCH reporter that the loss of the buildings over and above insurance would fall on the Jupiter people, the damage to the stock, amounting to a very few thousand dollars, being borne by the Western Steel Co. It will take two or three months to rebuild the elevator shaft or hoist, and meanwhile a large number of men will be thrown out of employment. The Western Steel-works employes were making ready to blow out the furnace when the fire occurred, and this will be proceeded with at once, as the engines were not damaged and there is nothing to prevent its running out of the metal. The Western Steel Co., as is known, intended shutting down permanently before long, and the fire will not affect it much beyond hastening the termination of its leasehold at the Jupiter works.

GEORGE WILSON HANGED.

The Albion Wife Murderer Pays the Penalty of His Crime.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 27.—George Wilson was hanged in the Albion (Orleans County) Jail this morning for the murder of his wife on the night of January 17, last year. On the morning of the 18th Wilson went to a neighbor's and said his wife was dying, and asked that the neighbor go to his house and remain there while he went for a doctor. The neighbor did so and found the woman dead and having the appearance of having been dead for some time. Wilson soon returned and then an undertaker was summoned, who called the Coroner. There were no marks of violence on the body, but the lips had the appearance of having been bitten. A jury was empanelled, but no evidence taken that day. A postmortem was held and the husband was arrested and lodged in jail. Testimony before the jury showed that the woman had been strangled and the jury found that her husband had committed the crime. Laura Thompson, a pretty girl of 18 years, with whom Wilson had been associating, was somewhat mixed up in the case. The murdered woman was 40 years of age. Wilson was placed on trial, and after a long and stubborn fight made by his counsel, was found guilty and sentenced to be hanged to-day.

North St. Louis.

Frank Prange's big furniture works will close down next Saturday night for an indefinite time.

Congressman O'Neill is flooding his district with copies of the *Congressional Record* containing his remarks on the convict labor question.

Postmaster Stoltebenn of Station A has made the morning mail delivery an hour earlier and the noon delivery twenty minutes earlier.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Hyde Park Congregational Church, Blair and Bremen avenues, will give a sociable to-morrow night at the church.

A new building to be used as an excelsior manufactory will be erected shortly at Ninth and Howard streets by Messrs. Tieman & Utereck, formerly of the firm of Henry & Co.

The carriers of Post-office Station A presented to the widow of the late Henry Gerke a set of engrossed resolutions. The work is all done by hand by Mr. Jo Lindsley, one of the carriers of the department.

Prosperity Lodge, No. 79, United Order of Honor, will hold its annual convention and election of officers to-night at No. 3607 North Eleventh street. The benefit certificates in this lodge are valued at $70,000.

Capt. Robt. McCulloch, Manager and Vice-President of the Benton-Bellefontaine Street Car Co., returned yesterday from the East. The Captain's friends are urging him to allow his name to be used for Congress in the Eighth District.

Foster Burnes was fined $50 in the Second District Police Court this morning, on charge of gross indecency; Kate Gibbons, a chronic offender, was fined $25 for disturbing the peace, and John Drummond, $15 on the same charge. All were sent to the Work-house. There were thirty-five cases in all and several light fines were imposed, for offenses of an ordinary nature.

The Sacred Heart Catholic Lyceum gave one of its semi-monthly entertainments last evening, which passed off as an enjoyable event to all present. This organization is yet young, but promises to become one of the most popular Catholic societies in the city. Its meetings are well attended and the interest taken by its members individually in its welfare makes the lyceum both a social and literary success. Much of the credit is due to the president, Mr. Jas. P. Hartnett.

About 5 o'clock this morning, as Charles Derlinder, a young man residing at No. 923 Cass avenue, was passing through Bierman's lumber yard on the south side of Mullanphy street, between Blair avenue and Fourteenth street, he discovered a mysterious looking bundle wrapped in a newspaper, sticking in the end of a lumber pile. On removing it he found it to contain the dead body of a female child, which had evidently been prematurely born. There is no clue to its maternity.

LABOUCHERE'S LETTER.

INTERESTING CHAT ABOUT MEMBERS OF THE ENGLISH ROYAL FAMILY.

Betrothal of the Duke of Sparta and Princess Sophia to Be Announced After Court Mourning Has Passed—Prince Alexander and Princess Victoria—Movements of Empress Victoria—The New Emperor Cheered at Emperor Frederick's Funeral.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, June 27.—A great deal of work remains to be done at Windsor Castle in connection with the new wing which is to be inhabited next autumn by the Prince and Princess of Battenberg and their children and by the children of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. The work is to be finally completed and all the rooms finished and ready for occupation by August 11, and the Queen is to arrive at Balmoral for her autumn residence on August 24.

THE PRINCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES.

The Prince and Princess of Wales were to have been present last week at balls to have been given respectively by Mrs. Tissen Amherst, Mrs. Henry Oppenheim and Lady Rothschild, but these entertainments are now believed to have been abandoned, as royalties will go nowhere during the remainder of the season, and indeed, as stated last week, the Prince and Princess will only remain at Marlborough House for a few days before leaving town altogether. The Princess of Wales will probably go to Schwalbach about the end of next month, for the purpose of taking a course of baths, and Her Royal Highness and the three young Princesses afterwards pay a visit to the Duke and Duchess of Cumberland.

GERMAN ROYAL ALLIANCES.

It is believed that the betrothal of the Duke of Sparta, Crown Prince of Greece, to Princess Sophia of Prussia, third daughter of the late Emperor Frederick, will be announced as soon as the acute stage of court mourning has passed.

ALEXANDER AND VICTORIA.

It is quite expected in court official circles at Berlin that Princess Victoria of Prussia and Prince Alexander of Battenberg will be married as soon as the term of the bride's morning for her father has expired. I hear that the ceremony is to take place privately in England, and that the couple will reside principally in this country, an arrangement which will not be received by the public with unmixed satisfaction. Prince Alexander has no property except his Bulgarian lootings, which, however, are believed to be considerable. It is not supposed that Emperor Frederick left his daughters more than £50,000 each. Young Emperor William cares nothing about his sisters, which, however, is only natural, as he has seen very little of them, so that the Princess Victoria is never likely to return to Berlin or Potsdam after she becomes Princess of Battenberg.

EMPRESS VICTORIA.

It is probable that the Empress Victoria will pass the autumn in Scotland, in which case she will reside with her three younger daughters at Abergeldie Castle, which the Queen has placed at her disposal. I hear that the Duke and Duchess of Bedford have placed Norris Castle, their place near Osborne, at the disposal of Empress Victoria if she desires to visit the Isle of Wight this summer. The Empress and Emperor Frederick resided for several weeks last year at Norris, which was lent them for the summer.

THE NEW EMPEROR.

A person who is thoroughly acquainted with the young Emperor tells me that he is a true Junker. He is, however, a man of decided ability, and has a thorough practical knowledge of affairs of every kind. He is exceedingly headstrong and self-willed, and one danger to peace is, that having never been in war, he may become inspired by a morbid craze to associate his name with some great military achievement, but there will be no change while Bismarck lives. Emperor William never quarrelled with Russia, for he liked that country, its people and methods of government, and his personal relations with the Czar were most friendly. The old Emperor was untiring for years before his death in exhorting his grandson never to enter upon war with Russia.

CHEERED AT THE FUNERAL.

The crowd at Potsdam actually cheered the young Emperor when he was following his father's coffin to the grave. A royal funeral is always a miserable mockery, for there must inevitably be a large number of persons in the cortege who, although arrayed in all the trappings of woe, are nevertheless, in reality, merry as grigs. A few years ago, on the day of the funeral of one of the most prominent members of the English royal family, the coffin was lying in state in a chamber hung with black, but a distinguished foreigner who entered to deposit an imperial wreath was scandalized to find two well-known noblemen standing at its foot in animated conversation and laughing heartily. Formerly a prominent member of the household was appointed to remain in attendance on the coffin of the deceased member of the royal family on the day before the funeral. He was supposed to sit on one side, apparently absorbed in grief, but a person who entered hurriedly found him lounging in an easy chair which he had dragged in from the next room with a pile of newspapers and French novels and his feet resting on one end of the stand on which the coffin was placed.

TENNYSON.

Lord and Lady Tennyson left Farringford on Thursday, after a residence on the Isle of Wight of several months, for Aldworth, their place, near Haslemere.

HENRY LABOUCHERE.

Reception to Bishop Bowman.

Bishop Thomas Bowman of the Methodist Episcopal Church was given a reception by the members of the Union M. E. Church last night in the parlors of the church. The occasion of the reception was the Bishop's return to St. Louis from the General Conference, where, by reason of his seniority he was permitted to choose his own field of work. He chose St. Louis and the local members of his denomination received him thus to show their appreciation of his return. There were over four hundred persons present.

Funeral of Dr. Pim.

The funeral of Dr. Lewis T. Pim, who died on Sunday evening at the residence of Judge Davis in Cheltenham, took place this morning from the residence of Mrs. Wilkinson, 3648 Finney avenue, at 8:30 o'clock. The funeral services were at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Jefferson avenue and Lucas place, and the interment was in Calvary Cemetery. A large number of the late doctor's friends were present during the last rites.

Police Board Action.

The Police Board yesterday dismissed Patrolman Douglass Bray for being intoxicated while on duty, fined Patrolman R. S. Cole $25 for maltreating a citizen, and fined Patrolman Thos. J. O'Brien $25 for similar offense on duty. Coupe and cab ordinances were before the board asking that [illegible] cab stands be abolished and [illegible] number of public stands made. [illegible] was taken under advisement.

A RED HOT FIGHT.

The Local Option Election at Independence, Mo., To-Day.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

INDEPENDENCE, MO., June 27.—For the past two weeks this city has been the scene of undoubtedly the hottest local option campaign in the annals of the State. Independence is the largest city in Missouri that has attempted to free itself of the saloons, and the fight has waged correspondingly bitter. The mechanics, ministers and professional men inaugurated the local option movement, and have backed it vigorously with their money and influence, putting forward, besides local orators, Mrs. Clara Hoffman, President of the W. C. T. U. of Missouri; John S. Brooks, prohibition candidate for Vice-President, and Capt. Dan K. Shields, the local option agitator. On the other hand, the saloon men have had Gen. R. Runnelly, Gen. Byron Sherry of Kansas City and others in the field. Both sides have held nightly public meetings, which were attended en masse, and the speakers have poured forth their convictions in language "red hot." Two daily papers of the city champion the local option cause. Two other papers have been warm in the interest of the other side. The entire population of the town is excited over the question and yesterday, in the midst of a heavy rainstorm, some 1,500 men, women and children paraded the streets bearing flags, broken jugs and bottles, and banners reading "Down With the Saloon," "Save the Boys," etc. Ladies belonging to the first families of the town marched enthusiastically about the public square. To-day is the day of the election. The ladies gave a grand free dinner at the polls of each ward, and employed their individual influence to secure votes for local option. Although the result cannot be definitely determined before sundown this evening, so-called disinterested parties predict that the "Drys" will have 100 majority.

THE MYERS MURDER CASE.

Attorney Lowe Unable to Take an Appeal for Lack of Funds.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

KANSAS CITY, MO., June 27.—Attorney Lowe, who represents Chas. E. Myers, under sentence of death for the murder of James E. Weir, is now in doubt whether he will be able to take an appeal to the Supreme Court. Mr. Lowe said to the POST-DISPATCH reporter: "The Constitution says that no man shall be denied the right of an appeal, yet by the sessions act of a few years ago, it is almost impossible for a poor man to appeal to the Supreme Court. The act provides that the stenographer shall be paid 15 cents per 100 words for a bill of exceptions, and the clerk of the court 10 cents per 100 words for a transcript of the case. This would make the cost of an appeal in the Myers case case about $200. It is impossible for his people to raise that amount of money, and I have received a letter from his father, in which he says that he has already raised every dollar possible and was compelled to mortgage his home to do that. I have thought some of trying to compel the stenographer, by mandamus proceedings, to furnish a bill of exceptions and thus test the constitutionality of the sessions act. I shall endeavor to secure a stay of execution from the Governor in hope that in the additional time thus given me I may be able to secure the means to prosecute the appeal. I am confident that Myers will be given a new trial if I can only get the case before the Supreme Court.

MUNICIPAL ASSEMBLY.

The City Fathers Propose to Visit the City Institutions.

At the meeting of the City Council last evening the memorial of the ministers concerning the condition of the municipal eleemosynary institutions was referred to the Sanitary Committee. The Committee on Railroads reported for passage a bill authorizing the Bridge & Tunnel Co. to operate a switch on Twenty-second street and Scott avenue. Under the rules the bill was laid over for one week. The poll-book bill was also laid over for one week. The bill authorizing the increase of the salary of Mornury Clerk Jacks to $1,200 per annum passed without an opposing vote. The ordinance regulating the recording of deaths and disposition of bodies in case of incineration was passed. Bills appropriating $75,000 for repairs at the institutions were passed, after which the Council decided to make an inspection of the institutions.

THE HOUSE.

When the House of Delegates was called to order last evening Delegate Stone presented a petition asking for the repeal of the bill fixing a butchers' tax at $50 per annum. The petition was filed. The Committee on Public Improvements reported the bill vacating certain streets in the vicinity of Russell and Shonandoah streets and also a bill establishing Longfellow avenue. Both measures passed. The House resolved to join the Council on the inspection tour on Friday. Some small improvement bills were passed and the House adjourned.

ST. LOUIS UNIVERSITY.

Fifty-ninth Annual Commencement Exercises to Occur This Evening.

The fifty-ninth annual commencement exercises of the St. Louis University will take place this evening in the college hall on Ninth and Washington avenue. The following young gentlemen constitute the graduating class of 1888: Thomas P. Burke, John J. Schenck, Joseph M. Donovan and Charles Garesche. The programme of the evening will be as follows: "Prince and People," an essay, Thos. P. Burke; "Historical Pen Sketches," John J. Schenk; "The Outlook Abroad," Joseph M. Donovan; "The Ethics of True Culture," Charles Garesche, and "Diseases and Reforms," John P. Warren, A. B. The valedictory to the graduating class will be delivered by Joseph M. Donovan, and the address to the young gentlemen who have completed their education will be made by Rev. M. J. McLaughlin, A. M. The exercises will close with the distribution of premiums to the successful students in the various classes. The exhibition this evening will be the last ever given in the old hall, as the university will be established in the magnificent new building on Grand avenue and Pine street in September.

STOOD HIS GROUND.

Two Young Desperadoes Attempt to Assassinate an Inoffensive Negro.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

HELENA, Ark., June 27.—Sheriff Pillow brought in John, Sidney and Nelson Bumpass, who live down at E. L. Anguille's, yesterday, charged with trying to assassinate James Dent, a colored man. Dent was a witness against the Bumpass' in a case in a Justice's court in this city last Saturday and his testimony was very damaging to the defendants. The Bumpass boys swore vengeance against Dent and nights before last armed themselves and going to Dent's cabin tried to run him out. Dent stood his ground and arming himself with a shotgun opened fire on his attackers. A regular fusilade ensued and although fifteen or twenty shots were exchanged no one was hurt. The Bumpass boys were bound over to await action of the Grand-jury this morning.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

J. McComb, Gainesville, Tex., and A. Stevens, De Soto, Mo., are at the Hotel Hurst.

J. A. Brooks, Jackson, Mo.; E. C. King, Judsonia, Ark., and George Shipply, Nokomis, Ill., are at Hurst's.

C. R. Sandhorn, New York; J. R. Tinyard, Kansas City; F. M. Moore, Pueblo, Colo., and H. C. Coulton, Chicago, are at the Merchants'.

D. S. Tubbs, Fort Scott, Kas.; E. W. McGee, Pineville, Ky.; E. F. Slate, Waterloo, Ill., and V. F. Jones, New York, are at the Laclede.

W. C. Randolph, Chicago; C. E. Bowers, Anthony, Kan.; C. B. Tullis, Kansas City, and R. S. Gould, Austin, Tex., are at the Planters'.

A. B. Gumby, New York; Wm. Michael, Chicago; W. H. Kahke, New York; J. W. Comstock, Baltimore, and R. M. Ferguson, Boston, are at the Lindell.

W. L. Hosten, Detroit; F. D. Coffin, Toledo; D. A. Goodrich, New York; Edward F. Rose, Boston; D. B. Hutchett, Fort Smith, and H. O. Norcross, Chicago, are at the Southern.

Hiram Nieman, Cincinnati; F. M. Abbott, Attala, Miss.; H. L. Kemmel, Newport, Ark.; H. Dyer, Chicago; W. F. Barton, Searcy, Ark., and S. A. Hart, Batesville, Ark., are at the Hotel Barnum.

Mrs. Daniel Gunn, nee Lottie Baker, of Kansas City, Kan., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baker of 3619 South Nineteenth street.

TWO SHOOTING AFFRAYS

GROW OUT OF OFFICER O'SULLIVAN'S ATTEMPT TO ARREST FRANK PARKER.

A Negro's Desperate Resistance and a Policeman's Fatal Wound the Result—Later, Another Policeman Fired Upon While Searching for Parker—The Wounded Officer's Condition—A Terrible Operation—The Negro Still at Liberty.

Officer Murty O'Sullivan of the Third District, who was shot last night by Frank Parker, a negro desperado, was resting easy this morning at his residence, No. 2711 North Leffingwell avenue, but is still in a very precarious condition. The shooting occurred about 11 o'clock at night on Morgan, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. As Officer O'Sullivan was passing along there he heard Parker raising a disturbance and ordered him to be quiet. The negro replied in an insulting manner. O'Sullivan placed him under arrest. Parker resisted and a fight ensued. The negro slipped away from the officer and the latter struck him with his club. Then Parker drew a revolver. O'Sullivan did likewise and a shooting match occurred. They blazed away at each other until both had emptied their weapons, when the officer sank to the pavement wounded and the negro ran away. When the firing had ceased it was found that two other men had been wounded. Samuel Wilson, a young colored man, who was standing across the street when the firing began, received a bullet in his knee. It lodged in the socket. He was taken to the City Dispensary, where the ball was extracted, and then he was sent home. John McHale, a teacher in the Mound City Commercial College, who resides on the second floor of the house in front of which the shooting occurred, came down-stairs to learn the cause of the firing and was struck in the left shoulder by a stray bullet. The ball struck the shoulder blade and glanced off. McHale was carried up-stairs and a physician summoned to attend him. Officer O'Sullivan was carried into a neighboring saloon and after a cursory examination of his injury by Dr. Yarnell was removed to the City Dispensary. There Dr. Steinmetz examined the wound and thought that the ball had entered two inches above the navel and had probably lodged in the back. He pronounced the wound very dangerous. O'Sullivan was then removed to his home.

O'Sullivan joined the police force July 15, 1875, and has a most excellent record. He has walked some of the most dangerous beats in the city and knew no such word as fear. He has a brother on the force who does duty in the Fourth District.

PARKER AND HIS REPUTATION.

Parker bears a very hard reputation. He has been arrested a number of times and has served a term in the penitentiary. By occupation he was a roustabout on the river and his mother lived on Fifteenth street and Orange alley. When in the city he spends considerable of his time with a negress named Fish, living on Tenth street and Christy avenue. He is about 30 years of age, 5 feet tall and of a copper color. He is well known to the police and unless he has already left the city is very apt to be lodged behind the bars before the day is over. Last night the police of the Third District kept a very vigilant watch on the houses of Parker's mother and the Fish woman.

They also searched every place they thought it likely he would visit, but without avail. Whether he received any injuries in the encounter is not known.

ANOTHER SHOOTING AFFRAY.

This morning at 2:40 o'clock Officers Hicks and Fitzgerald of the Third District called at the boarding-house kept by William Thomas, colored, at No. 1238 Poplar street, in hopes of capturing the fugitive there. Hicks stationed himself in the rear of the house, while Fitzgerald entered the front and obtained permission to search the premises. While he was up-stairs looking for Parker, Thomas went to the back door and saw Hicks standing near the fence. He called out: "Who is that?"

"I am a police officer," replied Hicks.

"Get out, you ——," yelled Thomas and he fired three shots at Hicks, but fortunately none of them took effect. Officers Daly and Lett heard the firing and, hastening to the house, placed the negro under arrest. He admitted the shooting, but claimed he did not know Hicks was a police officer. Officer Fitzgerald states that Thomas held a revolver in each hand when he entered the house, and Officer Lett found the weapons on him. The negro had them covered up and held them in his left hand. Thomas was taken to the Four Courts and locked up. A warrant for assault to kill was issued against him to-day.

O'SULLIVAN'S CONDITION.

Between 3 and 5 o'clock this morning Dr. A. C. Bernays operated on O'Sullivan. He found that the bullet had passed through the duodenum and the intestines. The operation known as laparotomy was performed. An incision was made lengthwise into the abdomen and the stomach and bowels lifted out. The perforations made in the intestines were sewn up and the intestines were then replaced. The holes which had been made by the bullet were three in number and were large, lacerated and bleeding. Considerable mucus had escaped and there was extreme collapse and vomiting. About noon the officer was again visited by the operator and was found to be doing well. The operation was a very risky and important one but was absolutely necessary to save the man's life.

A BULLET THROUGH HIS BRAIN.

Silver Levi in a Fit of Despondency Kills Himself This Morning.

About 6 o'clock this morning while the storm was raging Silver Levi, aged 50 years, who resided at 1216 St. Ange avenue, arose from his bed and dressed himself with the determination to still the tempest of trouble which had for sometime been raging in his breast. He procured his revolver with that intention and went to an outhouse in the rear of his residence. Placing the barrel of the weapon to his forehead, he pulled the trigger and the bullet went through his brain. Death was instantaneous. The revolver, which was a 32-caliber of the Smith & Wesson pattern, fell from his hand and his body dropped to the floor. No one heard the report, or if it was heard by anybody, the hearer paid no attention to it, for it was not until about an hour afterwards that the body was discovered by a domestic in Mr. Levi's employ. The girl immediately notified the family and the neighbors, and the body was removed to the house. The bullet had penetrated the center of the forehead, and the blood had besmeared the unfortunate man's face, giving him a ghastly appearance. The revolver was left just where it had fallen from the suicide's hand, and the Coroner was notified without delay. The members of the family are unable to assign a cause for the rash act unless it was due to despondency brought on by business troubles. Up to about three months ago Mr. Levi was the proprietor of the Phœnix Saloon, on the corner of Eighth and Locust streets, but was forced to close up on account of poor business. Since that time he has been doing nothing and his idleness, it is said, worried him a great deal. He is reported to have told his brother about two weeks ago that if he could not secure the loan of $2,000 soon he would kill himself, as he could not bear to live as he was any longer. The deceased was a fine-looking man and had always been of a cheerful disposition until lately. He has a wife and four children, two grown sons and two grown daughters. The young men are not at present in the city. The Coroner held an inquest on the body to-day and a verdict of suicide was returned.

Used No Weapon.

William F. Pohlman, against whom Victor Sarnor, the German actor, swore out a warrant for assault and battery yesterday, says that Mr. Sarnor told a very exaggerated tale of his grievances. In the first place he avers, and eye-witnesses back him in this statement, that he struck Sarnor with his hand only, and that he used neither knuckles nor any weapon whatever. He further says that Sarnor ran his wagon tongue in between his (Pohlman's) buggy and his horse in a very careless manner, and that when asked about it Sarnor was very abusive. He did not follow Sarnor, he says, the trouble occurring just where Sarnor had blocked him. Sarnor's wagon, he further avers, has caused trouble of this kind in that neighborhood before.

IN THE GARDENS.

The Vienna Lady Fencers at the Kensington —"Vice Admiral" and "Maritana."

Even the threat of a storm could not deter the people from going to the Kensington last evening to enjoy the realistic and clever performance of "Pinafore" and the first appearance of the Vienna song birds and lady fencers. The opera went with its usual dash, Loie Fuller singing as sweetly and dancing as lightly as ever. Pretty Carrie Tutein as Hebe, Dell Kellogg, handsome George Olmi, Rising, Hamilton and Bown getting their share of honors. Much of the interest centered, however, in the Viennese. They introduced two acts, both of them novel and attractive. The first was the charge of the guard at the palace, in which the girls, dressed in Austrian uniforms and with richly dressed captain and drummer, went through a number of military evolutions, all the while sing ing spirited military airs. The second was the fencing act, and was far more attractive than the first. The girls were dressed in short skirts with face and body guards and in pairs gave exhibitions of fencing. Their movements were models of precision, grace and suppleness, and they formed an interesting and pretty stage picture. The Captain, Mlle. Carala, sings admirably, having a clear ringing soprano voice and the girls form an excellent chorus. Both acts were enthusiastically encored. "Pinafore" and the fencers will be continued this week.

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"The Vice Admiral," too, proved its strength by drawing an excellent audience to the Cave, and although the performance was somewhat interrupted by the shower the beautiful music, entertaining situation and the clever performance of the company had the audience delighted. The opera is very pretty and melodious, and those who fail to see it will miss one of the most charming opera productions of the season.

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"Maritana," Wallace's beautiful work, is running smoothly at Schnaider's and is received with appreciation by the audiences. It will be the attraction for the week.

Fourth of July Rates.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will sell tickets at one fare for round trip between all stations July 3 and 4, good for return to July 5, inclusive.

Tickets to Cincinnati will be good for return until July 7, inclusive. Ticket offices 101 and 103 North Fourth street, under Planters' House, and at Union Depot.

THE FORCE OF HABIT.

How It Almost Led to a Loss of a $200,000 Package.

"Not long ago," said an express agent of the United States Express Co., "I had an instance of the effects of long-continued habit brought to my attention in a most forcible and disagreeable manner. My run at that time was between Indianapolis and St. Louis, and I took the express and money packages from the Eastern agent at the former city. I had thoroughly systematized my work, especially in regard to the money packages, which I always placed in one particular spot before putting them into the safe. The agent always brought them to my car, when I receipted for them, and then I would walk about the platform for a few minutes before the train started. On the occasion to which I refer the Eastern train was rather late, the agent had some business to transact with the station-master, and sent me word to come on the platform to receive my money, he sending the other packages to my car. I went over to him and he handed me a canvas bag, which he told me contained over $200,000, the largest amount he had ever had. He explained that he had not sent the porter with this on account of its value. I set it down on a barrel, signed the book and then walked to my car to take a look at it. The porter had placed a traveling-bag in the place I reserved for my money, and seeing it occupied I thought everything was in order, and strolled about the depot until the train started. Just as we were pulling out an Irishman came running up and threw the bag containing the $200,000 into my car. I glanced at it and very nearly fainted. I had become so accustomed to having nothing to do when I was on the platform, that I had entirely forgotten the money, although my attention had been particularly directed to it, and had left it lying where any one of 100 people could have picked it up and walked off with it. Since that time I have let nothing whatever interfere with my regular routine."

$10 to Cincinnati and Return,

$8 TO LOUISVILLE AND RETURN,

Via Ohio & Mississippi Railway, for July 4. For further information call at office, 101 and 103 North Fourth street, under Planters' House.

CHARLES MILLER

The Name of the Man Who Committed Suicide in Forest Park.

The man who committed suicide in Forest Park last evening was positively identified this morning as Charles Miller, a waiter. He was about 30 years of age, unmarried, and lived somewhere on Biddle street. His uncle, Henry J. Miller, who keeps a bakery at Fourth street and Clark avenue, called at the Morgue this morning and identified the body. The suicide called at the restaurant in Forest Park about 4 o'clock last evening and told Emile Haas, a barkeeper there, that his name was Miller and that he was a waiter at the Southern Hotel. About 6 o'clock he was found dead some 300 feet east of the race track, having cut his throat with a razor. The body was taken to the Morgue, where it was identified as stated. Miller was a shiftless sort of a fellow, who only worked occasionally. He was last employed as a waiter at the Southern Hotel, as he told the barkeeper at the park. It is said he drank considerably and was no doubt pressed for money, a pawn ticket being among the effects found on his body. He probably tired of life and determined to end it by cutting his throat.

The Hoyt Will Case.

TOLEDO, O., June 27.—Judge Jackson of the United States Court yesterday heard an application for a temporary injunction in the case of Mary Irene Hoyt vs. Henry L. Webber. Mrs. Hoyt is the heir-at-law of Jesse Hoyt, who died in New York in 1882, leaving an estate valued at $3,000,000, most of which consisted of Michigan pine lands. Judge Jackson, after listening to the argument of the counsel, granted a restraining order, prohibiting the defendant from selling real estate or otherwise converting the property until July 20, when he will hear the motion for an injunction at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Splendid Crop Prospect.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

FAIRMOUNT, Ill., June 27.—There is general rejoicing among the farmers of this locality over the splendid crop prospects. The wheat harvest has begun and will double all anticipations. Oats and corn were never before so promising.

The President in Virginia.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, Va., June 27.—President Cleveland, Secretaries Bayard and Vilas, Senator-elect Barbour and Representative O'Ferral arrived here at 11:30 on a special train to attend the exercises of closing day at the University of Virginia.

East St. Louis.

The Philharmonic Society has a meeting this evening.

Mrs. Rebecca Godfrey left for a tour of Europe to-day.

The Chess Club meets this evening to make arrangements for going Sunday in a body to Litchfield.

An excursion to Queen's Lake will be given this week by the young ladies of the Summit Avenue M. E. Church.

Edward Heidenburg, who has been in the habit of selling liquor without license, was arrested again this morning for the same offense.

There was an election over in New Brighton yesterday. Among the chief officers appointed were John Wike as Police Magistrate and Henry Steul as Trustee.

Walter Reeves broke his shoulder and several ribs in falling from a box-car yesterday. When picked up he was found to be unconscious and remained so for several hours. It is feared that he has sustained serious internal injuries.

Daily Bargain Bulletin

Barr's. Barr's.

Choice Goods at Reduced Prices.

1000 pcs of 20c Zephyr Ginghams at...12½c
750 pcs Gauze Weave Zephyr Ginghams.....20c
250 pcs Plains to match.....15c
2000 pcs Finest Imported Scotch Zephyrs, all reduced to.....25c

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Low Prices in White Goods.

English Nainsook, very sheer and fine.20c
Persian Mull, clear shade of white.....35c
Best Grade of French Pique.....45c
Satin, organdie stripe, very fine.....20c
1900 yards of splendid Cross Bar.....6½c

BARR'S.

High Prices Knocked Out.

225 pcs Koechlin's French Foulard Satines at.....25c a yard
150 pcs 32-inch China Blue Penang...12½c
450 pcs Garner's 36-inch Batiste at.....10c
175 pcs 32-inch Satin-Plaid Organdies.....12½c
75 pcs 25-inch Irish Linen Grass Cloth, 12½c

BARR'S WASH GOODS DEPT.

Keystone Beaters.

Thursday at 10 a. m. we will demonstrate the making of BUTTER IN 3 MINUTES by this Wonderful Machine. Also Bread Making, and will continue all day.

BARR'S.

Ladies Look Over Barr's Bulletin Before Buying

DOINGS IN THE COURTS.

JUDGE SEDDON INTERPRETS THE LAW ON MARRIAGE WITHOUT CEREMONY.

The Validity of Such Relations Discussed and a Wife's Suit for Maintenance Held to Be Good—The Motion for Alimony Overruled—Divorce Matters Under the Dome To-Day—New Suits Filed.

Judge Seddon to-day rendered an interesting decision upon the relation of man and wife in the case of Stevens vs. Stevens. The demurrer to the petition is overruled. This was a suit for maintenance and support brought by the plaintiff as the wife of the defendant, who is an employe of the Exposition Association. The petition states that on the 1st of April, 1886, Mr. Stevens intermarried with the plaintiff in this city. The contract was solemnly entered into by the parties in each other's presence, the defendant agreeing to take the plaintiff as his wife and the plaintiff agreeing to take the defendant as her husband. Thereupon, without any further religious ceremonies, they proceeded to live together as man and wife and the plaintiff alleged that she has since to the present time borne his name and lived with him, and has faithfully demeaned herself as his wife. She alleged, however, that on the 6th of May of the present year he deserted her without reasonable cause, and has refused to provide for her support.

The question was whether the plaintiff is the wife of Stevens within the meaning of the statute which gives to a wife an action for maintenance when she has been abandoned by her husband without reasonable ground. Section 3283 provides that when the husband, without good cause, shall abandon his wife, the Circuit Court, on petition for that purpose, shall order and adjudge support and maintenance. It was admitted by counsel for the defense that the petition set forth a valid marriage for many purposes, but it was contended that a marriage without the legal ceremonies prescribed by the statute, Cap. 50, Revised Statutes, Mo. 79, is only recognized as a matter of necessity and out of the tender consideration which the law has for children and other innocent parties, that it is in its essence an immoral relation and is never recognized at the instance of one of the guilty parties. The law looks upon marriage with extreme favor, for it is recognized both by municipal and divine law as at once the conditions of individual happiness and the corner-stone of the moral order and prosperity of the community. Therefore the ceremonies to constitute a full marriage are of the simplest form.

The Missouri statute provides that marriage is considered in law as a civil contract to which the sexual parties capable of contracting is essential. When once entered into it becomes an institution, but with certain exceptions, as age, etc., it may be entered into like any other civil contract, no religious or other legal ceremonies being necessary to its validity. If two persons capable of contracting in good faith agree with each other to be man and wife, by words to that effect man and wife without any ceremony of marriage performed by a minister of the gospel or an officer authorized by law to perform the ceremony.

Greenleaf says that a valid marriage is a civil contract jure gentium, to the validity of which the consent of parties able to consent is all that is required. If the contract is made per verba de presenti, though it is not consummated by cohabitation it amounts to a valid marriage in the absence of all civil regulations to the contrary, and though in some of the States there are statutes regulating the celebration of marriages yet it is generally considered that in the absence of any positive statute that all marriages not celebrated in the prescribed manner shall be absolutely void, any marriage regularly made according to the common law without observing the statutory form would still be a valid marriage.

In England, prior to the Council of Trent, marriage was regarded in no other light than a civil contract, and the law treated it as it did all other civil contracts. Lord Chief Justice Holt said that such a contract amounts to an actual marriage as if it had been in facie ecclesiæ. Chief Justice Kent said that no peculiar ceremonies were requisite by the common law to the valid celebration of marriage. The consent of parties is all that is required by natural or public law.

Section 3267 Missouri statutes provides that marriages may be solemnized by any judge, justice of the peace or licensed preacher of the gospel and the act of 1881 provide that a license shall first be obtained, but it is nowhere provided by the Missouri statutes that a marriage entered into without the prescribed forms shall be invalid. The facts set out in Mrs. Stevens' petition show a valid and legal marriage. It is valid for the purposes of legitimacy, bigamy, dower, curtesy and every other purpose, except, perhaps, divorce. There is nothing in all the wide range of authorities supporting the position of the defendant's counsel that the relation is immoral and that such a marriage is only considered valid when the interest of the children and innocent third persons is concerned.

The Court is forced to conclude in this case that the plaintiff is the wife of the defendant and is entitled to maintenance under the facts stated. There is no authority or warrant for the award of alimony, however.

Petitions for Divorce.

Amelia Kernahan has filed a petition in the Circuit Court for a decree of divorce from John W. Kernahan. They were married in August, 1879. Mrs. Kernahan alleges that her husband beat her unmercifully and rendered her condition intolerable, and that he failed to support her.

Mrs. Mary B. Robson has filed a petition in the Circuit Court for a decree of divorce from Wm. J. Robson, to whom she was married in Claiborne County, Miss., in September, 1867. They separated in November, 1884. Mrs. Robson alleges that her husband refused and neglected to support her. Ultimately he deserted her.

Judge Seddon's Decisions.

Judge Seddon rendered decisions to-day in the following cases taken under advisement:

Riesmeyer vs. Lucke; motion to set aside non-suit overruled.

Union Savings Association vs. Gould; motion for order on Sheriff sustained.

Norris vs. Shea; motion to set aside affirmance overruled.

McDougal vs. Chappe; judgment for plaintiff for possession; 1 cent damages and 1 cent monthly rents.

Beck vs. Tittman; judgment for plaintiff for property sued for.

Stevens vs. Stevens; demurrer overruled and motion for alimony overruled.

Judge Lubke's Decisions.

Judge Lubke to-day rendered decisions as follows in matters taken under advisement:

Wilbur M. Warnock vs. George Dorman et al; demurrer to petition by defendant Doering overruled.

Bridget Dunn vs. Ancient Order of Foresters; motion for new trial overruled.

John F. Bauer vs. S. C. Cabanne et al; motion for new trial overruled.

Notes in Court.

The will of John H. Huttemann was admitted to probate to-day. The property is left to the widow, passing at her death to the children.

An attachment suit was filed to-day in the Circuit Court by Meyer Bros. & Co. against Samuel R. Scott to recover $994.65.

Proceedings were instituted to-day in the Circuit Court for the opening of Geyer avenue from Compton to Louisiana avenues.

CHICAGO'S GAS TRUST.

The Miller Case Covers the Points Involved in the Suit.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 27.—Although the quo warranto proceedings by the Attorney-General of Illinois against the Gas Trust are hung up until January next, it has become patent that the trial of the Miller case will bring out the points and practically decide the illegality of the Gas Trust as an organization. When Judge Horton decided that Columbus R. Cummings, Sidney A. Kent, Charles E. Judson, John J. P. Odell, Charles F. Bry and Otho Gaither should answer such questions as were propounded in the inquiry of Nicholas C. Miller or stand in contempt of court, that conclusion became plain. The bill filed by Miller makes specific charges of fraud against the trust and the latter, in an answer, denied this. The suit grew out of a transaction by which Miller transferred his interest in the Lake Gas Co. to the trust in consideration of receiving as part payment a certain amount of stock in the Gas Trust Co., the total stock issued to be of the same amount as the actual cost of the gas companies and other properties included in the Trust's purchases. Miller charges that the Trust stock has been watered to the amount of $10,000,000 and that it was a part of this inflated stock with which he was paid. Certain questions bearing upon this phase of the controversy were put to the promoters of the Trust and they refused to answer with the result indicated.

A SCOUNDREL CAPTURED.

Fatal Railroad Accident—Bitten by a Rattlesnake—Texas Topics.

EL PASO, June 27.—D. Martin, a dentist, is under arrest for committing an indecent assault upon a young girl who had gone to his office for treatment. He placed her under the influence of chloroform. He escaped to Prescott, Ariz., but was arrested and brought to the Lincoln County Jail, when he made his escape, but was recaptured.

DALLAS, June 27.—A wreck was caused on the Texas Trunk Line yesterday by the spreading of the rails. One of the passenger cars went over an embankment and the porter was crushed to death. The passengers escaped serious injury. John W. Penn of Cedar Hill died on Saturday from the effects of a bite from a rattlesnake.

HOUSTON, June 27.—Burglars last night entered the residence of Patrick C. Byrne during his absence. His wife picked up a revolver and fired at the intruders, who stabbed her before making their escape.

BONHAM, June 27.—L. Crump, a lad of 12 years, has been arrested and taken to Fort Smith on the charge of stabbing his stepfather, Samuel Duncan. He states that Duncan was beating his mother and that he interfered in her behalf. In striking at his stepfather he cut his mother's hand off.

SAN ANTONIO, June 27.—Mathilde Regnaud, a widow who kept a fruit store here, committed suicide last evening by taking a dose of Rough-on-Rats. She was worried over debts.

FORT WORTH, June 27.—The fourth annual session of the Texas Teachers' Association was opened last evening. The Mayor delivered an address of welcome.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

All the Prussian Ministers took the oath of allegiance before the King at Berlin yesterday.

Ned Clark, colored, was lynched in Worth County, Ga., for an attempt at assault on a 13-year-old girl.

Isaac Martin, alias Martin Farrell, alias W. A. Neuman, was arrested at Cleveland, O., for trying to operate the "green goods" racket.

John Moncrief, a watchman in the depot at Madison, Ind., was killed by a bullet from a revolver in a hand-satchel which he was tossing into a car.

The towns of Sandsvall and Urnea on the Gulf of Bothnia, in Sweden, and large tracts of surrounding forests were destroyed by fire. The loss is placed at $5,000,000.

Will Beddoe, an 18-year-old boy living at Chattanooga, Tenn., was fatally beaten about the head with a loaded cane by a young man named John Goforth, who had an old grudge against him.

Two tribes of Alaska Indians, the Chilcat and Sitka, are having difficulties and bloodshed over the question of which has the right to carry freight for the miners along the Alaska coast.

Louise Nicoli, a stone-cutter at Marquette, Mich., out of revenge for being discharged for drunkenness, fatally wounded his former employer, M. B. Wilson, and then shot himself in the mouth.

A party of White Caps visited the house of Wm. Shulls at Hazelton, Ind., and gave him forty-eight hours to leave the county. Shulls is an industrious German and no reason is known for the action of the mob.

Ike W. Stevens, a well-known prospector, was fired upon from an ambush by a band of Indians near Gallup, in the Indian Nation. The Indians were formerly Government scouts in the Geronimo raids.

The defaulting teller, Pitcher, of the Union Bank of Providence, R. I., was arrested in Montreal yesterday. He was just making preparations to sail for England. $700,000 in cash and securities was captured.

A colored family, named Deans, living near Jacksonville, Fla., was poisoned by something in their breakfasts. Two of the children died and the father is in a critical condition. What the poison was is not known.

Billy Porter and Frank Buck, the American burglars who committed the great jewelry robbery in Munich, will be sent from London, where they are now under arrest, to the place where the crime was committed.

The 8-year-old twin sons of Henry Johnson of Stafford County, Va., named Grant and Garfield, were playing with their father's gun. Grant pulled the trigger, sending a load of shot into Garfield, killing him instantly.

Silas Robinson, a drunken teamster living at Minneapolis, Minn., found his wife, whom he had deserted, walking with a young man named Nick Wiers. After a few words Robinson drew a revolver and killed both Wiers and his wife, then blew out his own brains to escape arrest.

Damaged by Rain.

NELSON, Neb., June 27.—The heaviest rainfall ever known in this section occurred yesterday. Elk Creek is over its banks, and all bridges crossing it are washed away. The county will lose $10,000. The Burlington & Missouri bridge is damaged so badly as to render it unsafe.

GIVE THE CHILDREN A CHANCE.



Bowen's Lawn Swing

No. 1—10 1-2 feet high, Holds 4 grown people.....$18
No. 2—8 1-2 feet high, Holds 4 half-grown people.$14
No. 3—7 1-2 feet high, Holds 4 children.....$10

No pushing or rope-pulling. Works perfectly automatic.

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514 Locust.....Sole Agents.

REFRESHING. PERFUMES AND TOILET WATERS. COOLING.

COLOGNES

For summer use in the TOILET AND BATH—White Rose, German, Verbena, Patchouli, Persian Bouquet.

COLOGNES—Disinfecting and Antiseptic, for SICK ROOMS and the BATH—Imported BAY RUM, ROSE and ORANGE FLOWER WATERS, in any quantity.

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DRUGGISTS AND PERFUMERS,

FRAGRANT. 714 North Broadway.....St. Louis. LASTING.

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KENSINGTON GARDENS AND CABLE AMPHITHEATER.

THIRD WEEK, and Recognized Success of the "Amusement Event of the Season."

H. M. S. PINAFORE,

With its Great Cast, Fine Chorus and Grand Orchestra, presented on the great $10,000 Ship built expressly for this

MARINE SPECTACLE.

Take Cable Cars, corner Sixth and Locust streets. Gauge Depot, 35 cents.

Tickets can be obtained at Balmer & Weber's, 209 N. Fourth st.; H. Bollman & Sons, 1106 Olive st; Southern Hotel News stand; T. Wright's Cigar Store, Eighth and Olive sts.; Phœnix Book Store, Seventh and Locust.

And First Appearance of the

Lady Fencers and Vienna Song Birds.

Under the above title the Management have the pleasure of introducing

8—BEAUTIFUL YOUNG LADIES—8

In distinct and different acts, in which they will show their combined talents in Singing, Dancing, Fencing and Executing Military Evolutions. Admission, including round trip from Narrow Gauge Depot, 35 cents.

SCHNAIDER'S -:- GARDEN

COMIC OPERA COMPANY Appears To-night in VINCENT WALLACE'S beautiful Opera,

MARITANA.

One hour's Promenade Concert after performance every evening. Reserved seats to be had at Balmer & Weber's Music Store, 209 N. 4th st., and Bollman Bros., 1106 Olive st.

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(Ten Minutes' Ride from all Hotels.)

THE CONRIED ENGLISH OPERA CO.

Every night in the beautiful Opera,

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Next Opera—A NIGHT IN VENICE.

Performance wet or dry.

BATTLE OF BULL RUN,

Washington avenue and 18th street. Open day and night. Admission 25c; children 15c.

GAMES and PICNIC

—OF THE—

Scottish Clans

At Normandy Grove, Fourth of July, 1888. Prizes now on exhibition in Mermod-Jaccard's window.

LAST TWO GAMES.

CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

CLEVELAND vs.

ST. LOUIS BROWNS,

TO-MORROW AND SATURDAY.

GAME CALLED AT 4 P. M. ADMISSION 50c.

In order to avoid rush at gates for Athletic game on Sunday next get reserved seats at Schottmueller Exposition Cigar Co., 206 N. Broadway.

The Great Athletics, with Gleason and Welch, Sunday next.

Order Your

BLANK BOOKS

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PATTERSON'S,

316 and 318 N. Third St.

JEWETT'S REFRIGERATORS!!

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508 N. Fourth Street.

LOCAL NEWS.

The mass-meeting of Irish citizens called for last night at the Richelieu Hotel will be held Friday night.

M. K. sent 50 cents to the POST-DISPATCH for the fresh air fund. The money was turned over to Andrew Leslie, the fund treasurer.

August Brent of 1220 Clinton street fell from a scaffold at the Exposition yesterday and injured his back. He was taken to the City Hospital.

The Women's Humane Society yesterday at 1723 Washington avenue adopted a resolution condemning the practice of pigeon shooting as cruel and brutalizing.

Court St. Louis, Ancient Order of Foresters, elected officers at its last meeting and presented J. W. Fowler and Henry Jackson with lodge jewels.

S. J. Bean, late agent for Selmer Hess, a New York dealer, was arrested at the Union Depot last night, charged with defrauding J. H. Sauer and Turner Stephens of $65.

James Kelly and Peter Josbing fought at 2616 Washington avenue last night. Josbing fractured Kelly's skull with an iron bar. Kelly was taken to the City Hospital and Josbing was locked up.

Gambrinus Assembly, Knights of Labor, last night elected Richard Schlagenwelt President, Charles Bechtold Secretary, Frank Treben Financial Secretary, and Chas. Fuchs Treasurer.

The deck crew of the City of Cairo struck last night for $40 per month. The boat was leaving for Natchez when the demand was made. Capt. Lightner offered $35, but the men refused to take that. A riot was feared and police were sent for, but the roustabouts left the boat quietly.

Lady Cleveland Lodge, No. 280, U. O. of H., at the regular meeting held Monday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Louis S. Silverman; Vice-President, S. K. Lenoir; Secretary, Mrs. N. Silverman; Treasurer, Mrs. Spelgel; Chaplain, Miss L. Agerbacher; Inside Guard, Miss M. Joseph; Outside Guard, J. Lesher.

At a regular meeting of Phœnix Lodge, A. O. U. W., on Monday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: F. B. W., Godfrey Wolf; M. W., Dr. C. A. Bolaman; Foreman, Asg. Butz; Overseer, A. D. Crole; Recorder, J. E. Hill; Receiver, Financ., J. H. Yandell; C. E., Koppie; Guide, E. Wilson; Q. W., F. C. McFarland; O. W., Chas. H. Heidi; Dr. J. R. Crowhite, Medical Examiner.

Jottings at the Justices'.

Philip McCahill brought suit this morning in Justice Spaulding's court for $150 against John M. Glover for services rendered politically in the matter of poll books and testimony in the Lancaster-Glover suit.

Wm. Brooks swore out an assault and battery warrant in Justice Spaulding's Court this morning against John Fey, living at No. 2146 South Second street.

Removed for Safe Keeping.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 27.—The Sheriff of Nevada County brought to the penitentiary for safe keeping last night, Grant Holley, who is charged with an attempt to commit criminal assault upon a lady at Bowden a few days since. There were threats of lynching him.

DIED.

ENZINGER—ALBERT, son of Sophie and the late Ph. M. Enzinger, Wednesday morning, June 27, at the age of 18 years and 10 months, after a short illness.

Funeral will take place Friday afternoon, June 29, at 2 o'clock, from the family residence, No. 2135 Adams street. Friends of the family invited to attend.

HOUGH—At 7:20, evening of 26th inst., in Kirkwood, Mo., after a lingering illness bravely borne, HENRY CECIL, son of Henry M. Hough, in the 35th year of his age.

Funeral from Grace Church, Kirkwood, to Bellefontaine Cemetery, Thursday, 28th, at 11 o'clock. Train leaves Union Depot 9:35. Carriages at Depot at 12:00. Please omit flowers.

MUNDT—On June 27, at 12:20 p. m., Mrs. EMILIE MUNDT, aged 55 years.

Funeral from residence, 1446 Chambers street, at 9 a. m. Remains will be interred at Bed Bud, Ill.

WALTER—Tuesday, June 26, 9 a. m., HERBY WALTER, aged 18 years and 10 months.

Funeral takes place from residence, 2118 Carr street, Thursday, June 28, 1888, 2 p. m. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

Chas. T. Whitsett, Undertaker.

Lady assistant, modern methods, reasonable charges. 1305 Olive st., opposite Exposition. Telephone 474. Residence, 2012 Lucas av.

LODGES.

CHANGE OF HALL—Valley Council, No. 438, R. A., will meet June 28 at the new Occidental Hall, southwest corner 34th and Olive sts. Till further notice the council will continue to meet in this hall on its regular meeting nights, the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. CHARLES B. COX, Regent.
JOSEPH J. GROSS, Secretary.

HYDE PARK COUNCIL, No. 4, Legion of Honor, will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at Wenzel's Hall, northwest cor. Franklin av. and 8th st. Visitors always welcome. By order A. K. JOHNSON, Chancellor.
C. G. BALMER, Recorder. 33

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

Bookkeepers.

WANTED—Thorough office man, correspondent and book-keeper, 11 years' experience; married; open for position July 1; best city references. Address S 10, this office. 86

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Employment in office by young man speaking English, German and French; business experience; good ref. Add. R 11, this office. 37

WANTED—Situation by a young man 19 years of age, employed during the day, to work evenings after 6 o'clock; writes a fair hand and can furnish best of reference as to honesty, etc. Address O 9, this office. 37

Coachmen.

WANTED—Situation by a young man as coachman; understands care of horses and carriage; 21 years of age; references. Add. C 11, this office. 39

Boys.

WANTED—A situation by a stout boy 14 years of age and willing to work. Ad. N 11, this office.

WANTED—Situation by honest, steady colored country boy; can bring reference. Add. N 10, this office. 42

WANTED—Situation by honest colored country boy, handy about horse or stable; can bring ref. Address B 10, this office. 42

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Position as collector; can furnish horse and buggy. Address H 10, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by German as coachman or any kind of work; reference. Address J. Grad, 504 S. 7th st. 43

WANTED—Situation by a young man in wholesale business; will work cheap; first-class reference. Address S 5, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by an elderly man, carpenter, and understands care of horses; city or country. P. Textor, 409 S. 12th st. 43

WANTED—By a single man a situation near the city; understands care of horses, cows and gardening. Address T 10, this office. 43

WANTED—A middle-aged man would like situation as night watchman or any other kind of inside work; can give the best of reference and security. Address F 11, this office. 43

WANTED—Having ten years' experience, can guarantee ability and character by best of city reference; would like immediately a situation with a reliable wholesale grocery house. Address W. R. Mealer, 3863 Delmar av. 43

HELP WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—A live and pushing German-speaking traveling man; none but first-class men need answer; Jews need not apply. Add. L 9, this office.

WANTED—Young man 25 or 30 years old to work in real estate office; must be very pleasant, nice and agreeable; must write fair hand; one that has to work for a living preferred; must be steady, reliable and responsible. Address L 10, this office. 54

Waiters.

WANTED—Experienced white head waiter for family hotel. Address J 8, this office. 57

The Trades.

WANTED—A machine pattern-maker. 212 Morgan st. 58

WANTED—First-class floor and vise hands. Inquire at Fulton Iron-works, 2d and Carr sts. 58

Laborers.

WANTED—Two teamsters. 2948 Market st. 59

WANTED—Fifty teams, 21st and Locust sts. John A. Lynch. 59

WANTED—Ten laborers at Western Steel Co., Carondelet. 59

WANTED—Laborers; highest wages paid; Duncan and Vandeventer avs. John Bambrick. 59

Boys.

WANTED—Laundry boy. 16 S. 9th st. 61

WANTED—Two boys who have worked at carriage painting. 3105 S. Broadway. 61

WANTED—White or colored boy to do chores around the house. 3238 Chestnut st. 61

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Genteel men with $20 to $50 cash to introduce goods which pay $60 per week easier than other lines pay $60 per month. Merrill Manufacturing Co., B 22, Chicago. 62

WANTED—6 young men for steady employment to learn telegraphing on our lines and engage before July 1; situations given when qualified; $70, $80, $90, $100, $110, $120 and $125 per month. Apply immediately, Union Telegraph Supt., 102 N. 3d.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Situation by a good seamstress; can cut by measure; good home more of an object than wages; reference given. Address M 3, this office. 46

General Housework.

WANTED—Situation by a woman to do housework or cooking. 1235 Washington av. 48

WANTED—Situation by a colored girl to do housework or kitchen work. 1119 Wash st. 48

WANTED—A good German girl wants a sit. at light housework in small family. Call at 1216 N. 20th st. 48

WANTED—Situation by young girl at housework or to help at general housework. Address 2109 Franklin av. 48

STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Situation to cook, wash and iron. 2630 Beaumont st.; rear. 49

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A middle-aged woman wishes work in a private family. Call or address 817 N. 6th st.

WANTED—Families, boarding-houses and hotels can get good girls and girls can get places at 925 N. 12th st. 52

WANTED—Situation by the week or month by middle-aged woman, with girl 8 years old; no objections to country. 1608 Biddle st., up-stairs. 52

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Lady clerk owning type-writer. Address P 10, this office. 63

WANTED—Two ladies for type-writer work; must operate Remington No. 2. Address O 10, this office. 63

Stenographers.

WANTED—Lady stenographer; one willing to make herself generally useful in office. Address S 11, this office. 64

WANTED—An experienced lady stenographer; must write the pencil system, operate the Remington Type-Writer, write a good hand and be accurate at figures; no one that is not fully proficient need apply; a good place for the right party. Address T 11, this office. 64

Housekeepers.

WANTED—An elderly gent, a widower without a family, wants a housekeeper; must be neat and clean and a good cook; none other need apply; light work and fair wages. Apply at 1439 Old Manchester road. 65

Laundresses.

WANTED—A first-class starcher at Emerson's laundry; also girl to do housework. 115 S. 6th.

WANTED—Two first-class shirt ironers at Dispatch Laundry on new and old work. 1227 N. Broadway. 67

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

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ST. LOUIS TIME.

*Except Sunday; †Daily; ‖Except Saturday; ‡Except Monday; ¶Monday.

	Depart.	Arrive.
CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.		
Chicago Express Mail	* 8:30 am	† 7:35 pm
Kansas City Mail	† 8:45 am	† 6:50 pm
Through Chicago Express	† 4:50 pm	† 10:40 am
Jacksonville Accommodation	* 6:00 pm	* 2:00 pm
Chicago Lightning Express	† 7:55 pm	† 7:35 am
Kansas City Night Express	† 8:20 pm	† 7:00 am
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD (Chicago Line).		
Day Express	* 7:25 am	* 7:30 pm
Chicago Express	† 8:00 pm	† 7:00 am
OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. 10 hours to Cin. & Lou. 4 Solid trains. Sleepers to Cin., Lou., Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York.		
Cincinnati & Louisville Accom.	* 6:25 am	* 7:22 pm
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt. Phil. & New York	† 8:00 am	† 6:40 pm
Cincinnati Express	† 7:00 pm	† 7:20 am
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phil. & New York	† 8:00 pm	† 7:45 am
Salem Accommodation	5:15 pm	8:45 am
CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.		
New Orleans Fast Line	† 7:40 pm	† 8:00 pm
Memphis, Arkansas & Texas Ex	† 7:40 pm	† 7:55 am
Cairo, Ky. & Tenn. Ex. daily	† 7:45 am	† 7:55 am
El. & Parker City Ex., ex. Sund.	* 4:20 pm	* 11:50 am
CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD.		
St. Paul, Dubuque, Omaha and Denver Express	† 9:30 am	† 5:20 pm
La Crosse, Omaha, Lincoln and Denver Express	‖ 8:30 pm	‡ 6.50 am
INDIANAPOLIS & ST. LOUIS (BEE LINE.) Only line landing passengers in Grand Central Depot, New York. No change of cars.		
Day Express	† 7:35 am	† 6:00 pm
New York and Cincinnati Limited Express	† 8:05 am	† 7:40 pm
Mattoon Accommodation	* 4:25 pm	* 10:35 am
New York, Boston & Cincinnati Express	† 7:05 pm	† 7:30 am
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VANDALIA LINE.		
Day Express, daily	7:25 am	5:00 pm
Pennsylvania Special, daily	8:10 am	7:30 pm
Chicago Express, exc. Sunday	7:25 am	7:30 pm
N. Y., Balt. & Wash. Exp. daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Chicago Night Express, daily	*8:00 pm	7:00 am
Effingham Accom., daily	6:30 pm	7:55 am
Cincin. Day Exp., exc. Sunday	8:10 am	7:30 pm
Cincin. Night Exp., daily	7:30 pm	7:00 am
WABASH RAILWAY.		
Chicago Local Mail	* 7:05 am	* 7:25 pm
Chicago Fast Express	* 7:55 am	* 6:15 pm
New York Fast Express	† 7:55 am	† 6:15 pm
Decatur and Jacksonville Accommodation	* 4:45 pm	* 10:35 am
New York and Boston Fast Exp	† 7:10 pm	† 7:45 am
Chicago Night Express	† 8:10 pm	† 7:25 am
Peoria Night Express	† 8:10 pm	† 7:25 am
WABASH WESTERN RAILWAY.		
Through Mail and Express	† 8:25 am	† 6:15 pm
Kansas City, St. Joe and St. Paul Fast Line	* 9:00 am	* 7:10 pm
Montgomery accommodation	* 5:00 pm	* 11:55 am
Omaha, Des Moines and St. Paul Express	† 8:25 pm	† 6:50 am
Kansas City and St. Joseph Express	† 8:35 pm	† 6:40 am
LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE & ST. LOUIS R. R. (The Air Line.)		
Louisville and Washington City Day Express	* 7:20 am	* 7:45 pm
Louisville Night Express, fast line	* 7:20 pm	* 7:25 am
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.		
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	....	† 9:00 am
Southern Fast Mail	† 7:20 am	† 7:45 pm
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	† 5:00 pm	....
Belleville Accommodation	† 11:20 am	† 1:45 pm
Southern Fast Line	† 7:20 pm	† 7:25 am
ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.		
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 7:05 am	* 6:50 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 8:25 am	* 8:45 pm
Through Mail	† 8:20 am	† 6:00 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 12:30 pm	* 10:45 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	§ 1:00 pm	§ 10:20 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 4:00 pm	* 3:15 pm
Pacific Accommodation	* 5:20 pm	* 7:55 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 6:30 pm	* 6:15 pm
Through Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am
ST. LOUIS, KEOKUK & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY.		
St. Paul, Omaha, Denver and Lincoln Express	* 9:20 am	* 6:00 pm
Spirit Lake, Omaha, Cedar Rapids and Denver Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am
MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.		
New Orleans and Florida Express	† 9:00 pm	† 7:25 am
Cairo, Chester and Jackson exp	* 7:40 am	* 7:00 pm
ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL.		
Bowling Green and Hannibal Mail and Express	* 5:00 pm	* 11:55 am
Through Express	† 9:00 am	6:40 pm

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	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Leave Union Depot	8:20	11:00	2:50	5:30
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LEGAL NOTICES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—Whereas Charles S. Rogers and Emily D. Rogers, his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated June 1, 1884, and recorded in the Recorder's Office of the City of St. Louis, in book No. 786, page 16, and also in the Recorder's Office of the County of St. Louis, in book No. 26, page 103, did convey unto the undersigned, Charles R. Goodin, Trustee, the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the County and City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of lot number sixteen (16) and the western seven feet six inches (7 feet 6 inches) of lot number fifteen (15) of block number thirty (30) city block No. 995, in the Stoddard addition; together fronting thirty-two feet and six inches (32 feet 6 inches) on Lucas avenue by a depth to alley one hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches (134 feet 8 inches). Bounded east by Griffith, north by alley, west by Peckham and south by Lucas avenue. Subject to a deed of trust dated May 1, 1882, recorded in book 675, page 340, to secure one note at three years for $4,000.00 and interest notes.

Also all of lots eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) in said block, No. 30 of Stoddard Addition, (city block No. 995,) together fronting fifty-five feet and three inches (55 ft. and 3 in.) on Lucas avenue by depth to alley, one hundred and thirty-four feet and eight inches (134 ft. and 8 in.,) bound south by Lucas avenue; east by Peckham; north by alley and west by Ewing avenue, subject to deed of trust dated November, —— 1883, and recorded in book —— page —— to secure one note at two years for $2,500 and interest notes.

Also the following described tracts or parcels of land, situated in the County of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: Blocks numbered five (5) and six (6) of the subdivision of the Sigerson Nursery tract, a plat of which subdivision was filed for record in the Recorder's Office of the former County, now City of St. Louis, on the 25th day of June, 1859, said blocks or tracts being in that portion of said subdivision which includes blocks numbered consecutively from No. 1 to No. 6 being the same parcels or tracts of land which were conveyed to said Chas. S. Rogers by Wm. T. Wood and wife and Ralph S. Hart and wife by deed dated June 16, 1859, recorded in said Recorder's office in Book 222, page 408. Which conveyance was so made to secure the payment of a certain note therein described and the interest thereon as more fully recited in said deed.

And whereas default has been made in the payment of said note and interest, now therefore, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said note, and under and in virtue of the powers in me vested by said deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee, on SATURDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF JUNE, 1888, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day will proceed to sell the above-described property at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court-house in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, for the purposes of said trust.

CHARLES R. GOODIN, Trustee.

THE FIENDS IN YOUR PILLOW.

The Horrors of Insomania From Which There is No Escape.

From the London Queen.

Those who are afflicted with insomania know to the full the futility of recipes. Some advocate a pine-needle pillow; some a hop pillow; others one so hard that it might have Jacob's stone in the middle. For the first two you are oppressed by their odor—oppressed rather than soothed; the last makes your head ache and gives you a sore spine all the day after. Others, again, tell you to eat and drink just before going to bed. A "nightcap," they say, of genial spirits, with a few biscuits munched discreetly, will do wonders for you. The blood will be brought from the brain to the stomach, and an active digestion will cure your sleeplessness like magic. You follow their advice—the prescription being pleasant—and you find that you have to take your liver and your "gouty diathetis" in hand as the result, with no better nights in the way of slumber than before. You are told to bathe your face and wrists in cold water, and you do so, whereby you have a swingeing cold which confines you to bed for a week and to the house for a fortnight.

Then you have mental prophylactics, and you hear with envy how one man cures himself of insomnia, drives off the hags who beset him and wins back the sweet genius of sleep by counting imaginary sheep jumping over an imaginary fence. He goes off like a lamb, he says, before he gets to the hundredth. You try the same experiment and you go on to a thousand or more—with the result of feeling in a kind of whirlwind, where the flying straws take the form of fleecy ewes and the whirling dustheaps are acrobatic rams. Your jumping sheep become as torturing as that barrel organ tune which sounds in your ears, do what you will, and they stick to your brain as the tune sticks—reason or none. As for that unbidden music, you think to exercise it by going over the strain from the first note to the last. You are conscientious in your memory and put in every little thrill and quaver that may have been incorporated. Now then, you think, you have finally laid that noisy demon and are free to turn your mind to the contemplation of silence. Not a bit of it. Suddenly the tune starts out again, louder, clearer, more insisting than before, and you have to go over your work once more, and have for the second time the bitterness of failure. You try, too, to come upon sleep by repeating poetry—all the poetry you know. Sometimes this has a lulling effect, as when you pound away at a piece known by heart as familiarly as the alphabet. But for the most part you waken up yourself by just so much as you think to have soothed; and the repetition of poetry proves, like the counting of sheep, a mental stimulant instead of a sedative. Then you are wider and wider awake than ever, and your pains are increased, not lightened.

Then there flow in on you all the sorrows of your life, and everything you would gladly forget insists on being remembered with photographic clearness and in gigantic proportions. Are you a little at cross-corners with a beloved friend?—the slight misunderstanding, which a few moments of honest talk will clear away, becomes the fracture of your friendship, which no time, no effort can ever repair. The word that was said in thoughtlessness becomes the intentional insult—the designed outrage. The look that had no significance at all becomes as the thrust of a sword and the sting of a whip; and wherever you can torture yourself you do—all because the power of sleep has gone from you and your feverish blood is firing your throbbing brain. So with all your life. If you are in a momentary difficulty about money, you are on the verge of ruin and the threshold of the Work-house. If you have had an infinitesimal check in your career, you are cast down from your secure holding and can never make your footing sure again. Whatever may have happened to ruffle the still waters of the lake and break the deep silence of the woods is a cataclysm, no less, and sleeplessness exaggerates like the microphone and makes the footsteps of a fly like the swinging tread of the grenadier. Thus you give yourself up for lost, and to the physical torments of your condition are added the mental agonies of fear, despair and anticipated destruction.

QUEER THINGS ABOUT THE NOSE.

The Olfactory Sense Not Dying Out—Some Abnormal Growths.

The following paragraph has been going the rounds of the press:

"M. Le Bec, the French savant, says that 'the nose is gradually losing its power to discharge its traditional functions in the case of the civilized people; when the sense of smell vanishes altogether, as will infallibly be the case one day, the organ itself will follow its example sooner or later, as nature never conserves useless organs, and the nose must go.' The olfactory sense is keener in the savage than in the civilized man."

A New York specialist on the nose, to whom this was shown, says:

"Well, Frenchmen seem to delight in making such extravagant statements. There are men and women of to-day who have the most powerful sense of smell. The trouble is that it is not always educated like that of the savage. Savages have good eyes, and good ears, and good noses, and because they educate their eyes and their ears and their noses they can hear, see and smell better than a man who does not educate those senses. As far as the olfactory sense dying out is concerned, that is not true. I think the reason this French savant thought so is because so many people nowadays have colds and catarrh, due to the civilization we are struggling under. Imperfectly heated rooms, improper ventilation, a thousand and one conditions that are not all sanitary, produce colds and catarrh; and when a man has catarrh his olfactory sense, of course, is interfered with. A healthy civilized man who has no catarrh can smell just as well as a savage, and can see just as well as a savage. A modern Anglo-Saxon, born and brought up in civilization, if taken out into the woods and subjected to the same education in woodcraft that a savage has, will leave the savage far behind in his sense of smell and the other senses. You know it used to be said that an Indian could run all day and all night, and endure much more than a white man; but in these six-day-go-as-you-please races an Indian has no show whatever.

All the senses are very intimately connected with each other. That there is a close relation between the eye and the nose is shown when a person has what is popularly called a cold in the head. The eyes will water and feel weak. Snuff pepper or any irritants of the kind up the nose, and it makes the eyes water. Very often there are polipii or little growths in the nose that irritate unconsciously oftentimes. A great many specialists have found that far-sightedness is affected by the nose, and that the removal of obstructions in the nose will improve the eyes so that patients will not have to wear glasses. And near-sighted patients, it is claimed, have also been cured of their near-sightedness by treating the nose. Where a person's eyesight is affected by growths in the nose, temporary relief has been obtained by treating the parts with cocaine. What is thus temporarily accomplished by the use of cocaine, it is declared, can be permanently accomplished by removing the obstructions.

"Persons having such obstructions also have nose colds, which come from a curious irritable susceptibility of the nose, caused by the pollen of different plants. Among the various ill-effects which are produced by growths in the nose are noises in the ear, deafness, chronic catarrh of the throat, failure of the voice, asthma, heart troubles, stomach troubles, even troubles with the skin. To illustrate. Many opera-singers, when their voices fail, will consult a nose specialist, who will restore their voices frequently by some simple nasal treatment. Not only asthma has been cured by such treatment, but many other chest troubles, chronic bronchitis notably. So skin diseases of the most obstinate forms, acne especially, where red pimples come out all over the face, have been cured by nasal treatment. It seems hard to believe, but one man who had been troubled for years by what was supposed to be rheumatism in his knee was entirely cured by the removal of certain growths in the nose."

The Story of "Annie Laurie."

Letter to the Chicago Herald.

The famous song that is sung by all singers of the present day, I am informed, is a mystery as to the author. I was raised on the next farm to James Laurie, Annie Laurie's father. I was personally acquainted with both her and her father, and also with the author of the song. Knowing these facts, I have been requested by my friends to give the public the benefit of my knowledge, which I have consented to do. Annie Laurie was born in 1827, and was about 17 years old when the incident occurred which gave rise to the song bearing her name. James Laurie, Annie's father, was a farmer, who lived and owned a very large farm called Thragiestown, in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. He hired a great deal of help, and among those he employed was a man by the name of Wallace to act as foreman, and while in his employ Mr. Wallace fell in love with Annie Laurie, which fact her father soon learned, and forthwith discharged him. He went to his home, which was in Maxweiton, and was taken sick the very night he reached there, and the next morning, when Annie Laurie heard of it, she came to his bedside and waited on him until he died, and on his deathbed he composed the song entitled "Annie Laurie."

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were granted during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Name.	Residence.
P. M. Butler	2134 Carr st
Anastasia Frainney	2015 Wash st
H. J. Casey	2616 Clark av
Ellen Noonan	1019 N. 17th st
Patrick Delaney	1416 N. 19th st
Annie Coyle	519 Walnut st
Geo. J. Heffernan	1016 N. 18th st
Cecilia M. A. Dean	2855 Menard st
J. E. Morse	3328 Locust st
Mary H. Kerr	3423 Walnut st
P. J. Deveraux	4004 Fairfax av
Mary E. Carey	509 Argyle av
W. T. McMahon	2020 O'Fallon st
Mary T. Berrigan	2020 Division st
Adolphus Carnish	Jacksonville, Fla.
M. Alice Cayse	1610 Cass av
Joseph Zsigmandovitz	507 Chestnut st
Bertha Rawok	807 N. 15th st
Theodore A. Huey	1418 Washington av
Jessie Whitmore	2822 Morgan st
John I. Shanahan	1407 N. 17th st
Mary Carlin	1916 Cass av
Geo. F. Norden	2658 Chouteau av.
Wilhelmine Temme	2126 Randolph st
Michael Moeble	316 S. 7th st
Helene Phippe	316 S. 7th st
James A. Brooks	Jackson, Mo
Mary Hickman	2929 Thomas st
Robert T. Fritschler	2921 Montgomery st
Amalia Haase	2850 Cass av
Jacob Maes	1527 Nebraska av
Mathilde Huonker	3119 Rutger st
Albert Jud	813 S. 2d st
Nellie Goss	Nashville, Ill
Herman Spellmeyer	1415 Monroe st
Helena Weigel	1835 O'Fallon st
August F. Kurtz	2112 N. 14th st
Barbara Reidel	2112 N. 14th st
Chas. S. McKee	1200 Clark av
Lillian Ewan	Bethalto, Ill
John W. Boeck	1914 Palm st
Josephine Adam	2515 N. 22d st
John P. Fitzgerald	2027 O'Fallon st
Mary Barry	2723 Howard st
Oscar U. Olive	Fairfield, Ill
Regina Lewis	2719 Lucas av
Wm. H. Enright	1212 Lynch st
Mary C. Dougherty	2833 N. 11th st
Albert Stuart Speirs	2840 Morgan st
Lottie Carr	Glencoe, Mo
Peter Anderson	3618 N. Grand av
Fanny Schroeder	3618 N. Grand av
Edward B. Wallace	De Soto, Mo
Melvina Lane	6812 Minnesota av
Thomas J. Collins	1515 Spruce st
Delia Delaney	2747 Macon st
Louis Schanmann	1912 Blair av
Bridget Walsh	2114 Cass av
Theodore A. Meitz	4508 N. 20th st
Margaretha Hoffmann	Michigan av
Alford Salzgeber	2355 S. 11th st
Mamie Stolte	2202 S. 7th st

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Births.

The following births were reported to the Health Department during the twenty-four hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Katy, daughter of Lou and Anna Baker, June 24; 1728 Gravois road.

Lizzie, daughter of Louis and Lizzie Hetling, June 21; 3306 Wisconsin avenue.

William, son of John F. and Katie Lofinck, June 22; 3101 South Jefferson avenue.

Mary, daughter of August and Mary Wettig, June 24; 2326 Sullivan avenue.

Louisa, daughter of Mathias and Magdeline Besman, June 20; President street and Levee.

Frank, son of F. and —— Schuelle, June 25; 1825 St. Louis avenue.

Lizzie, daughter of Adam and Fredericka Smith, June 21; 2031 South Third street.

Edna, daughter of Gottlieb and Anna Reickert, June 21; 1215 Market st.

Jacob Erwin, son of Christopher and Dina Fisher, June 16; 2706 Indiana avenue.

——, daughter of Ed and Alice Creed, June 24; 2330½ Carr street.

Nelson, son of Nelson and Tillie Green, June 24; 2020 DeKalb street.

Christ Jacob, son of Christian and Katie Klinger, June 17; 2800 South Seventh street.

Raymond H., son of Wm. O. and Ada Stevers, June 16; 3015 Dickson street.

——, son of Philip and Phœbe Farley, June 26; 1316 North Twentieth street.

John George, son of John George and Mary Weber, June 24; 1836 Menard street.

——, daughter of John B. and Fannie Gross, June 12; 1610 North Seventeenth street.

Florence Elizabeth, daughter of Albert and Julia Fibo, June 25; 316 Haven street.

——, son of Herman and Catherine Grote, June 19; 2644 Hickory street.

——, son of Louis and Louisa Ritter, June 21; 2224 Randolph street.

——, daughter of Robert and Kate Maguinty, June 21; 2525 Jefferson avenue.

——, son of William and Annie Hart, June 13; —— street.

——, son of Ignatz and Lizzie Gerber, June 24; 2623 Montgomery street.

George, son of George and Francis Spitz; June 15; 1832 Market street.

Francis Xavier, son of Joe and Mary Erdelen, June 25; 1231 North Second street.

Francis, son of Frank and Frances Smulinski, June 25; 1312½ North Ninth street.

Peter W., son of Peter W., and Louisa Gundlach, June 20; 1409 Penrose avenue.

Deaths.

The following burial certificates were issued by the Health Department during the 24 hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Charlie Barth, 9 months, 3617 South Broadway; convulsions.

Wm. Repetto, 2 years, 709 North Seventh street; throat trouble.

Sarah Moore, 74 years, 1417½ North Sixteenth street; valvular disease of the heart.

Henry Kern, 11 days, 3616 Prairie avenue; inanition.

Clara Wolf, 3 months, 2808 Easton avenue; gastro enteritis.

Mary McKinney, 5 months, 2829 Howard street; cholera infantum.

Dr. Louis T. Pim, 64 years, Cheltenham; cardiac dropsy.

Grover Cleveland, 2 months, 4231 North Fourteenth street; cholera infantum.

John Henry Cordes, 10 years, Poor-house; entero colitis.

Christian Houlkamp, 2 months, 916 Geyer avenue; diarrhoea.

Bertha M. Sullens, 9 months, 8016 Victor street; inflammation of the brain.

B. A. Fleming, 3 days, 2241 St. Charles street; congenital debility.

Albert Galvin, 3 months, 2852 Second Carondelet avenue; inanition.

Lottie Buckner, 8 months, 1314 North Eleventh street; bronchitis.

Mary Pape, 40 years, 311 North Fourteenth street; heart disease.

Mary Leahy, 3 years, 4917 McKissock avenue; cerebro spinal meningitis.

Helena Pankow, 4 months, 3513 Texas avenue; marasmus.

Emma Schreiber, 1 year, 1908 Cass avenue; inflammation of the bowels.

John Studt, 6 years, 1414 Warren street; diphtheria.

Elmer J. Kern, 1 year, 2210 North Market street; cerebral congestion.

Mina Fishback, 19 years, 1323 Monroe street; bronchitis.

Mary Read, 95 years, 2409 North Twelfth street; marasmus.

Ellen Mahony, 1 year, 1541 Gratiot street; cholera infantum.

Maggie Sullivan, 6 months, 1548 North Second street; cholera infantum.

Fred Haarhaus, 53 years, 1815 South Seventh street; cholera morbus.

Jasmus Vigus, 32 years, 1002 Pine street; malarial fever.

Caroline Baeker, 71 years, 1529 South Broadway; inflammation of the liver.

Lida Grassius, 1 year, 2513 Spring avenue; inflammation of the brain.

Mary B. Benton, 26 days, 806 Chouteau avenue; cholera infantum.

Maria Krinke, 1 year, 1434 North Twelfth street; pneumonia.

Maria Greene, 49 years, 410 Clark avenue; consumption.

Elizabeth Kroll, 6 months, 1831 North Market street; inflammation of the bowels.

William Mohrmann, 2 days, 3945 Sarpy avenue; inanition.

J. Flohr, 9 months, 4023 South Broadway; inflammation of the brain.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers were recorded during the 24 hours ending at 3 p. m. to-day:

Anna Hartmann et al. to John Vogel et al, 2 ft. on Odell av., city block 4067, and other property; quit claim deed	$75
Peter J. Hurck, by administrator, to Anna Hartmann, lot 34 in city block 3260; administrator's deed	23
Marie L. Franklin to Elizabeth Cross and children, 25 ft. on Minnesota av., city block 3001; deed in fee	1
Esther A. Newberry et al, to Wm. T. Jones, 50x147 ft., city block 4792; warranty deed	600
Joseph M. Vallentine and wife to A. K. Florida, 54 ft. 9 in. on La Salle st.; warranty deed	2,750
Geo. Shields and wife to Theo. Eichenburger, 62 ft. on Villa av., city block 4608; warranty deed	204
Geo. Shields and wife to G. Hilse, 188 ft. on Villa av., city block 4608; warranty deed	802
Jonathan W. Pottle to Geo. Bothe, 44 ft. 10 in. on Madison st., city block 2833; warranty deed	1,571
Albert Arnstein to Metropolitan National Bank of New York, 54 ft. on Collins st., city block 71 north, and other property; quitclaim deed	280
Hector Neghoff to Chas. F. Fischer, 125 ft. on Hunt av.; quitclaim deed	185
Daniel Abel and wife et al. to Edward H. Wolff, 329 ft. 4¾ in. on Clagett av., city block 4469; warranty deed	5
Mary Dunker et al. to James Morrisey, Jr., 50 ft. on Walnut st., city block 1723; quitclaim deed	5
Mrs. L. Balson and wife et al. to Joseph P. Walker—50 feet on St. Louis av., city block 4823; warranty deed	215
John Jackson and wife to Charles Hartwell, 158 ft. 7½ in. on Bartmer av., city block 4863; warranty deed	6,320
Allen Thomas' executors, trustees, etc. to Allen Estate Association, all interest in all of city block 105; quitclaim	699,300
Wm. R. Allen and wife et al., to Allen Estate Association all interest in all of city block 104; quitclaim	1
Elizabeth Donaldson et al. to Allen Estate Association, all interest in city block 104; quitclaim	1
Frederick W. Mott and wife to Jacob H. Painter, 50 ft on Virginia, city block 2982; warranty deed	3,050
John B. C. Lucas to John Jewell and wife, 25 ft. on Papin in city block 3964; warranty deed	200
Wm. Deutsch and wife to Kate M. Lindsay, 50 ft. on Walnut st., city block 1720; warranty deed	5,800
Augustine Schilling to Gerhardt Ludewig, 50 ft. on Grattan st., College Farm subdivision; warranty deed	500

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

DIVIDEND NO. 43—Office of the Granite Mountain Mining Company, Room 35, No. 204 N. Third street—At a meeting of the trustees held this day, a dividend of $100,000, being 25 cents per share, was declared on the capital stock of this company, payable to stockholders of record July 10, 1888. Stock transfer books will be closed from 3 p. m., July 2, until 10 a. m., July 10, 1888.

THOS. O. HYMAN, Asst. Secretary.

St. Louis, June 27, 1888.

SAM'L A. GAYLORD. JOHN H. BLESSING.

SAM'L A. GAYLORD & CO.,

Stock and Bond Brokers,

NO. 307 OLIVE STREET.

Granite Mountain, Small Hopes, Hope and Adams mining stocks bought and sold.

MONEY.

NEW YORK, June 27, 11 a. m.—The stock market was again very dull this morning except for St. Paul, Reading and New England, with Lake Shore and Western Union in the second rank. The first sales were made at prices closely approximating those of last evening, but there was a slight recession in the early dealings, which, however, in no case amounted to more than ⅛ per cent. Prices soon began to rise and St. Paul, which led the general list, advanced ⅞ per cent, and other stocks smaller fractions, but Pullman was the special feature of the hour, was very strong and active for that stock and gained 1¾c. The best prices were well maintained until the end of the hour, and at 11 o'clock the market was dull but strong at the highest prices reached.

Noon—Money is easy at 1@1½ per cent. Bar silver, 92¼. The stock market continued firm for a short time after 11 o'clock, but all movement quickly disappeared from the list, with the single exception of Green Bay, which was active and strong and advanced ¾ per cent. This movement, however, was of short duration and the market subsided into the most intense dullness, though the high figures of the previous day were maintained. No further feature or change occurred in the list, and at noon the market was very dull and steady at the best prices of the morning.

3 p. m.—The stock market closed dull, but firm, at about opening figures.

BOSTON, Mass., June 27.—Mexican 4s, 65¼@66; scrip, 99¾@100½; Allouez, ⅝@⅞; Calumet, 239@240; Huron, 4@4½.

LONDON, June 27, 12:30 p. m.—Consols opened at 99 7-16 for money and 99½ for the account.

4 p. m.—Consols closed at 99 9-16 for money and the account. A. & G. W. 1sts, 34¾; Canadian, 58⅛; Erie, 24¾; do 2ds 96¾; Illinois Central, 114¾; Mexican ordinary, 40¾; St. Paul common, 65⅝; Reading, 30⅝.

New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whitaker, bankers and brokers, 121 North Third st., St. Louis, Mo.

STOCKS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	49¼	49¼	48¾	48¾
Canadian Pacific				
Central New Jersey	81½			81½
Central Pacific				
Chi., St. P., M. & O.	34⅝			34⅝
do pfd.				
C., R. I. & P.	103⅞	104¼	103⅞	104
C., B. & Q.	112½	112⅝	112	112½
C., M. & St. P.	63¼	64	63	63⅝
C. & N. W. com.	105¼	105⅝	105¼	105½
Cotton Oil Trust	36	36	35¼	35¼
Del., Lack. & W.	129⅝	129⅝	129	129⅝
Del. & Hudson	109⅛	109⅛	109	109⅛
Denver & Rio Grande				
East Tenn. com				
do pfd.				
Erie com	24⅛	24⅛	24	24
do pfd.	56			56
do 2d mtg bonds	95			95
Ft. W. & Denver				
Hocking Valley	21¼			21¼
Houston & Texas				
Illinois Central	115½			115½
Ind., B. & W.				
Lake Shore	89⅞	90¼	89¾	90
Louisville & Nashville	54	54	53½	53⅝
Michigan Central				
Missouri Pacific	71½	72	71½	72
Mo., Kan. & Texas	12¼			12¼
Mobile & Ohio				
Manhattan Elevated	82	83¼	82	83¼
New York & New England	38⅝	39	38¼	38¾
New York Central	104½			104½
Norfolk & Western com				
do do pfd	46¼			46¼
Northern Pacific com	23	23⅛	23	23⅛
do do pfd	50½	50⅞	50½	50⅞
Ohio Southern				
Oregon & Transcontinental	23¼	23½	23¼	23½
Or. Nav. & Trans. Co.	90			90
Ohio & Mississippi com				
Pacific Mail				
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville				
Philadelphia & Reading	58⅝	58⅞	58¼	58¾
Pullman Palace Car	155½	157½	155½	156½
Richmond Terminal				
St. Paul & Duluth com	53	54	53	54
do do pfd				
St. L. & San F. com	28¾			28¾
do 1st pfd				
do 2d pfd	63¾			63¾
St. P., M. & Man.				
Texas & Pacific	20½	20½	20¼	20⅜
Union Pacific	53⅝	54	53½	53⅝
Wabash, St. L. & Pac.				
do do pfd	23			23
Western Union Tel. Co.	75⅜	75⅝	75⅛	75⅝
West Shore Bonds	102⅛	102⅛	102	102

Local Bonds.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, banker and broker, 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask.
3 ₩ cent bonds		M. A. N. & F.	100⅛	100⅜
4½ ₩ cent bonds	1891	J. S. D. & M.	107	108
4 ₩ cent bonds	1907	J. A. J. & O.	127¾	128

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask.
City 3-65 sterling	1907	June and Dec.	100	101
City 4s sterling, 10-20s	1902	May and Nov.	100½	101
City 4s sterling, 20s	1905	June and Dec.	102	103
City 5s sterling, 10-20s	1900	June and Dec.	102¾	103¼
City 5s	1900	Jan. and July.	109	110
City 6s gold	1892—93	Various	109	109½
City 6s sterling	1898	June and Dec.	117	118
City 6s water	1899	June and Dec.	105	106
City 6s water	1892	April and Oct.	106	106¾
City 6s, bridge approach	1892	June and Dec.	106	106¾
County 6s gold	1895—96	Jan. and July.	113	114
County Park	1895	April and Oct.	124	125

RAILWAY BONDS.

	When Due.	Interest payable.	Bid.	Ask.
Mo. Pac. 1st m 6s	1888	Feb. and Aug.	102	102
Mo. Pac. Consols	1920	May and Nov.	114	115
Mo. Pac. 2d m 7s	1891	Jan. and July.	105	107
Mo. Pac. 3d.	1905	May and Nov.	118	119
No. Mo. 1st m 7s	1895	Jan. and July.	116	117
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	Feb. and Aug.	108	113¼
K. P. 1st m 6s	1896	June and Dec.	106	111¼
K. P. D. Ex. 6s	1899	May and Nov.	104½	105½
K. P. Consols	1910	May and Nov.	103	103½
St. L. & M. 1st 7s	1892	Feb. and Aug.	109	110

CLEARING-HOUSE STATEMENT.

Clearings	$2,099,109
Balances	398,534

COMMERCE.

Closing Prices—3 P. M.

Reported daily by S. W. COBB & CO., 317 and 319 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS:	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
June	82⅛	83¾	83	83 b
July	80⅛	81	79½	79⅞
Aug.	80	81	79⅞	79⅞
Sept.	81⅛			80⅞ n
Dec.	85	85⅛	84⅛	84⅛
CORN.				
June	45½			45½ b
July	46¼	45⅞	45⅛	45⅞
Aug.	46¾	46⅝	45⅝	46⅛
Sept.	46⅞	46⅞	45⅜	46⅛
Year	37	37	36⅛	36⅛
OATS.				
June	32½			32 b
July	26⅞	27	26⅞	26⅞ b
Aug.	24	24⅛	24	23⅞ b
Sept.	24⅛			23½ b
CHICAGO:				
WHEAT.				
July	80⅝	80⅞	79⅝	80⅛
Aug.	80 @⅛	80⅞	79⅞	79⅞@80
Dec.	83⅝@⅜	83⅝	82⅝	82⅞
CORN.				
July	48⅞@49	49⅛	48⅝@⅞	48⅞@49 a
Aug.	49⅝	50¼	49½@⅝	49⅝
OATS.				
July	31¼	31⅝	31¼	31⅜
Aug.	26½	26⅞	26⅝	26⅞
PORK.				
July	13.67	13.67	13.60	13.62½
Aug.	13.77	13.77	13.67	13.72
LARD.				
July	8.22	8.25	8.22	8.25 a
Aug.	8.32	8.35	8.30	8.32
SHORT RIBS.				
July	7.52	7.55	7.50	7.52
Aug.	7.60	7.65	7.60	7.62

NEW YORK—Wheat—June, 86½c; July, 86⅝c b; August, 87⅝c b; September, 88⅜c b; December, 92⅛c b; May, 1889, 96⅞c. Corn—July, 54½c; August, 55⅜c; September, 56⅜c; October, —.

TOLEDO—Wheat—July, 84¼c a; August, 84c a; December, 87c b.

Stock of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Wheat bu.	Corn bu.	Oats bu.	Rye bu.	Barley bu.
To-day	196,004	657,142	101,354	3,198	5,393
Yes'dy	198,311	676,546	110,469	3,198	5,393
	No 2 Red.	No. 2.	No. 2.	No. 2.	
To-day	166,600	307,123	64,914	2,500	....
Yes'dy	168,419	311,224	71,290	2,500	....

Movements of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

	RECEIPTS.		SHIPMENTS.	
	Wheat.	Corn.	Wheat.	Corn.
St. Louis	15,247	15,800	2,150	12,203
Milwaukee	23,025	5,040		
Baltimore	1,425	650		12,849
Toledo	343	6,035	5,000	500
New York	56,940	199,200	68,881	13,725
Chicago	32,022	195,529	6,495	288,497
Kansas City		4,500		
Detroit	8,234	4,298	1,006	457
Duluth	61,242		114,292	
Minneapolis	109,440		7,980	
Philadel'hia	1,142	4,404	1,624	2,884

St. Louis Markets.

FORENOON SESSION—CLOSING 1 P. M.

Wheat—It rained hard in this locality all last night, also pretty generally throughout the winter wheat section as far east as Indiana and heavily in the South, the weather was still threatening, and the Signal Observer said there were no signs of a change. The cry from the country was of delayed harvesting operations, fears of wheat sprouting in the shock, and of rust appearing in some sections. The fear of another 1875, when there was great damage to the quality of the crop, stood prominently before traders, and most of those who were short came down this morning determined to cover and others to go long for a boom. When the bell tapped for trading to begin there was but one cry, and that was "Buy!" Very little was for sale and August was opened a full cent higher, at 81c. All the outside markets were higher; European cables were said to be better (New York wired private cables: "Liverpool Wheat firmer on better foreign advices and Indian wheats not offered so freely." "Wheat shade steadier on advices from here." "Wheat dull and unchanged." No advance can be seen in these; the amount on ocean showed 176,000 bu decrease, bringing the available supply to 48,427,000 bu or 820,000 bu less than last week and 12,577,000 bu smaller than one year ago; receipts here were light. All these, with the unfavorable weather and the uneasy feeling, it was reasonable to suppose, would have advanced prices still more, but the first boom exhausted all the bull there was in the market. The trouble was there wasn't the right kind of buying to put prices up, or even hold them. Country buying orders failed to materialize, few orders came in from other centers, and the wants of local traders were soon met. After that it was a gradual slide downward; the selling increased as disgusted longs let go and the bears began to pound and other markets to decline. A telegram to Cleary & Co. indicated that the principal reason for the break in Chicago was said to be the report that 3,500,000 bu wheat would be delivered July 1 by its present holders who were tired of carrying it for nothing unless the difference between July and August widened 1c. This was no solid reason why St. Louis should decline, but the local market tailed on to Chicago and finally August sold at 79⅝c. Late in the session came advices of export buying in New York, reaching twenty-five loads before the close came, and this with reactions at other points turned the market up, August closing at 79⅞c or ⅛c below yesterday. Spot No. 2 red sold higher at 83c in St. L. and 83½c in C., but not much in demand.

Corn showed a trifle more strength at the opening and September sold then at 46⅞c. It was the elevating power in wheat that stiffened the tone, though there was some nonsensical talk of too much rain upon the growing crop, and receipts here were very small, with a fair decrease in the stock. New York reported some export buying late yesterday, but cables were dull. The amount on ocean passage had increased 893,000 bu, making the available supply 16,610,000 bu, against 15,575,000 bu the week before and 14,171,000 bu one year ago. Weakness soon took place of the early firmness and a decline followed, sellers finding very few buyers, and with the outside markets going down, September sold off to 45⅞c. From this it recovered rather slowly, but was unsettled to the close, which was ⅛c under yesterday at 46⅛c. The demand for spot grades was light, and from the order and local trade alone, but offerings also were small and full prices paid. No. 2, 45½@45¾c in U, 45¼c bid for M.; No. 3, 44¾@44½c in M., 45c in U., 44¾c bid for C.; No. 4, 41c in E. 42½ in St. L and M.; No. 2, white, 51c bid for this and 51½c for E. side; No. 3, do, 50c bid this side and for U.; no grade 39c in E.

Oats flat upon the ground, soaked by rain, sure to be damaged and a late harvest, were the reports that with a higher Chicago put a little ginger into the market this morning. It held right firm afterwards, too, and closed so. July sold at 27c to 26⅞c and August at 24⅛c to 24c. It is understood that considerable spot will be delivered on June contracts tomorrow. Spot grades very dull, with a sale of No. 2 in St. L. at 33c, and a bid of 33½c for No. 2 in C., 31½c bid for No. 3 regular.

Flour quiet and steady. Quotations: XXX, $2.40 @2.50; family, $2.65@2.85; choice, $3.20@3.30; fancy, $3.80@3.90; extra do, $4.05@4.15; patents, $4.35@4.45. These prices are for lots on arrival at the depot or levee; order lots higher.

Bran steady. Sacked, 56c at country point, 57c f. o. b. this side, bulk 49@50c at country points.

Hay dull, the rainy weather interfering with trade, but not much of a demand anyway. Sales ranged: This side, Prairie, $9@11 for common to fancy; mixed timothy, $9@13 for common to choice timothy, $12@15 for prime to choice timothy, and $16@17 for fancy do. East side offerings (where the receipts are light) sell lower than above figures.

Provisions were easier and dull; most trading on order account. Cured dry salt c'ribs sold f.o.b. and to arrive c. and f. here at 7.52½c, and standard mess pork to arrive quotable c. and f. here at $14.10 @14.15. Loose dry salt f. o. b. on cash orders: Shoulders, 6c; longs, 7.55c; c'ribs, 7.65c; shorts, 7.90c; boxed winter shoulders, 6c; longs, 7.60c; c'ribs, 7.80c, and shorts, 8c. Packed bacon—Shoulders, 6¾c; longs, 8⅜@8.40c; c'ribs, 8.40@8.45c; shorts, 8.65@8.70c; loose c'ribs, 8.30c. New standard mess, in job lots $14.50. Prime steam lard, 7.90c; fancy leaf, 8¾c; second brand, 8⅜c. C. s. c. hams, 11@12½c. Breakfast bacon, 10@11c. Beef—Shoulders, 7c and family, $6@9 per bbl; on orders higher, $4@5.50 per half-bbl; dried 10@13½c; selected, 13c per ₩; smoked tongues, $4.50@5.50 per dozen. Tallow—Prime to choice, in oil bbls, 4@4¼c; cake, —; No. 2 in irregular packages, 3½@3¾c. Grease—Brown and yellow, 2@3½c; white, 4@5c. Salt—Domestic, $1.05 per bbl on E.; $1.10 on this side. Ground alum, $1.10@5 per sack; small way higher. Highwines unchanged at $1.14 in St. Louis, Cincinnati and Peoria: $1.20 in Chicago.

Lead has once more flattened out and to-day exhibited a depression akin to demoralization. The late boom appears to have been engineered entirely by speculation and then principally on paper, a few actual transactions were made during the advance. New York has tumbled to $3.85, and from all quarters came the story of weakness and dense dullness, with sellers pressing and no demand at all. Refined was offered here at $3.75 and could not be sold. Spelter steady at $4.20 East side.

Afternoon Board.

New York reported 45 loads of wheat taken for export and more working, but a decline in Chicago caused free selling, and the local market went lower. Corn easier. Oats dull.

Chicago Letter.

By private wire to the Redmond Cleary Commission Co.:

CHICAGO, June 27.—The crowd started in a trifle bullish on wheat owing to the wet weather, but every bid was met with an offer to sell, which was more than they counted on, so they turned and took the bear side. It was a stubborn market for awhile, but eventually had to succumb to the general pressure to unload or sell short. Even Hutchinson's efforts to hold the price were futile and after August got below 80c it was a heavy market. It seems like an impossibility to bull wheat even in the face of what would be considered favorable conditions, but short crops and bad harvesting weather cut no figure and the longs are slowly getting out. Elevator men and carriers are preparing to make large deliveries of wheat on the 2d prox., unless in the meantime the difference widens sufficiently to pay to hold it. If the deliveries are made they will have a depressing effect. Corn was fairly strong early, owing to Hutchinson's buying and to the steadiness of wheat, but finally the pressure to sell became too general and at last broke the market. We see no reason for higher prices, but on the contrary advise selling it on the bulges.

Country Produce.

BERRIES—Blackberries, 40c@$1.25 per 6-gal. case. Gooseberries, $1.50 per bu. Raspberries, $1@1.50 per 6-gal. case. Whortleberries, $2.00@2.50 per 6-gal. case. Currants, $2.00 per 4-gal. case.

FRUIT—Plums, 30@40c per ⅓-bu box. Pears, 50c @$1 per ⅓-bu box. Apples, 15@25c for small and green, 35@40c for red and choice per ⅓-bu. box; $2@2.75 per bbl. Peaches—Arkansas, 40@60c; Tennessee at 25@40c per ⅓-bu box; choice Texas, 50@75c. Watermelons—$20@25 per 100. Cantaloupes—$1.25@1.75 per doz.

NEW VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 65@75c per bu. Onions, 70@80c ₩ bu. Tomatoes, 40@50c per ⅓-bu box.

BUTTER—Receipts, 19,585 lbs. Quiet and steady. We quote. Creamery—Choice and fancy, 15@17c to 18c. Dairy, choice and fancy, 14@15c; selection, 16c; medium, 11@13c; lower grades; 8@10c. Nearby country make at 8@10c.

CHEESE—Wisconsin full cream, 8c; Young America, 8¼c; skims, 3@6c.

EGGS—Receipts, 1,207 pkgs. Dull at 11½c for fresh. Southern stock less.

LIVE POULTRY—Steady. Hens quotable at $2.75 @3.25; mixed at $2.50@2.75 and cocks at $2.25@2.40 per doz. Springs range at $1.25@1.75 for small to $3 @3.25 for choice large. Pigeons salable at $1.50.

VEAL—Choice fat, 4@4½c; poor at 3½c; heretics, 2½c per ₩.

LAMBS—Sales range at $1@2.50 ₩ head according to size.

HIDES—Green steady; dry weak. We quote: Green salted—Cured, No. 1 at 6c; No. 2 at 4c; bulls and stags, 3½c; all uncured, 1c per ₩ less; "pepper boxes" and glue stocks at 2c. Dry flint—No. 1 at 10½c; No. 2 at 7½c; salted—No. 1 at 7c; No. 2 at 5½c; bulls and stags—flint at 6c; glue and "pepper boxes" at 4c; fallen—Kansas, 7½c; Texas, 7½c.

DEER SKIN—Prime flint, 38c; salted, damaged, etc., one-third off; antelope, 20@22c; goat, 20@25c.

SHEEP SKINS—Green—Large, 90c; small to medium, 30@70c; shearlings, 10@25c. Dry—Large, 75; small to medium, 20@60c; shearlings, 5@15c.

FEATHERS—In demand and firm. Prime live geese, 44@45c; top rate for small sacks; prime gray at 30@32c; mixed, old, etc., at 10@30c; chickens (dry picked) at 5c; ducks at 20c; tare, 3 and 10 per cent.

BEESWAX—Quiet at 22c for choice.

ROOTS—Ginseng at $1.75@1.85; seneca, 22@23c; snake—Texas, 10@15c; Virginia, 17c; blood, 2½c; May apple, 1½@2½c; golden seal, 10c; angelica, 5c; pink, 12½c; lady-slipper, 5c; wahoo root bark, 7c.

HEMP SEED—Nothing done; worth $1.05@1.10, pure test

FLAX SEED—$1.02½ bid for spot and August and $1 for September.

CASTOR BEANS—Neglected. Prime nominal at $1.20.

BROOM CORN—We quote at 2@2¾c for fair to choice; crooked and damaged half price.

WOOL—Receipts, 95,994 lbs. Market quiet and firm.

UNWASHED—STATES.	Bright medium.	Braid, coarse.	Low, sandy.
Mo., Ill., Ark., etc.	22 @22½	17@19	16@17
Kansas and Nebraska	16 @18	13@15	10@13
Texas and Ind. Ty. 8 to 12 mo.	20 @21	16@18	11@15
Texas and Ind. Ty. 4 to 6 mo.	14 @16	11@14	10@12
Colo., New Mex., etc.	18 @19	15@17	10@13
Mont., Wyo., etc.	19 @20	16@18	12@15

UNWASHED—STATES.	Fine. Light.	Fine. Heavy.
Mo., Ill., Ark., etc	17 @18	14 @16
Kansas and Nebraska	14 @15	10 @12
Texas and Indian Territory 8 to 12 mo	16 @17	12 @14
Texas and Indian Territory 4 to 6 mo.	12 @14	10 @11
Colorado, New Mexico, etc	15 @16	11 @14
Montana, Wyoming, etc	16 @17	13 @15

Tub—Choice, 34c; inferior, 28@32c. Sacks, 10@20c. Tare. 3@3½c. Burry, cotted, etc.—slightly, 3@4c off; moderately, 4@6c; hard at 8c for Southern to 13c for Missouri, black. 2@5c off.

Cotton.

New York futures declined heavily to-day, the old crop options suffering most loss, and spots quiet at 1-16c lower. Liverpool firm, with sales of 10,000 bales. Local market steady.

LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS.—Low ordinary, 7c; ordinary, 7¾c; good ordinary, 8 11-16c; low middling, 9⅜c; middling, 9¾c; good middling, 10 1-16c; middling fair, 10 3-16c; fair, —; stained, ¼c lower than white.

RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND STOCKS—Gross receipts to-day, 319 bales; since September 1, 522,005 bales against 415,652 same time last season; shipments to-day, 2,634 bales; since September 1, 1887, 508,128 bales, against 417,014 bales same time last season; stock in compresses and warehouses to-day, 17,317 bales, against 8,452 bales.

CLOSING COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK—Middling, 10¼c.

	Closed Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closed To-day.
June	10.23	10.25	10.10	10.12
July	10.24	10.22	10.14	10.14
August	10.34	10.30	10.22	10.22
September	9.89	9.86	9.78	9.79
October	9.69	9.66	9.58	9.58
November	9.60	9.56	9.49	9.49
December	9.60	9.56	9.49	9.49
January	9.68	9.66	9.57	9.57
February	9.75	9.71	9.64	9.64
March	9.83	9.79	9.72	9.72
	Quiet.			Steady.

67,800 bales.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Wheat quiet and without decided change; receipts, 56,950 bu; July, 86⅜@86⅝c; August, 87⅝@88c; September, 88⅜c; October, 90⅛c; December, 92@92⅜c; May, 96⅞@97⅛c. Corn moderately active; November unchanged; other months ⅛@½c lower; Western spot, 54½c delivered; futures, July, 54¼c; August, 55⅜c; September, 56⅜c; November, 56½c; receipts, 199,200 bu; sales, 640,000 bu. Oats irregular; Western, 36@46c; receipts, 140,100 bu; sales, 35,000 bu. Beef dull; new extra mess, $7@7.50. Pork quiet; new mess, $15@15.50; old mess, $14@14.25. Lard steady; steam rendered, 8.55@8.57½c. Butter moderately active and steady; Western, 13@19½c. Cheese firm; State, 7¼@9c; latter for fancy white and colored; Ohio flat, 7@8c; skims State, 2@7c. Sugar—Raw, firm; fair, 4⅝@4.13c; crushed, 8c; powdered, 7c; granulated, 6¾@6.81c. Molasses steady; 19½c for 50-test. Coffee dull for spot; Rio, fair, 14¼c, nominal; options opened dull at partially 5c decline. Spirits turpentine easy, at 36½c. Eggs—Western, 15@15½c.

CHICAGO, June 27.—Wheat steady; cash, 80⅜c; July, 80 7-16c; August, 80 3-16c. Corn steady; cash 48⅞c; July, 49c; August, 49 13-16c. Oats firm; cash, 32c; July, 31¼c; August, 26⅝c. Rye, 54c. Barley, flax and timothy nominal. Whisky, $1.20. Pork easy; cash, $13.65; July, $13.62½@13.65; August, $13.72½@13.75. Lard steady; cash, 8.20c; July, 8.25c; August, 8.32½c. July short ribs, 7.50c. Butter and eggs firm and unchanged.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 27.—Flour quiet and unchanged; fancy, —. Cornmeal quiet and unchanged. Corn quiet and easier; mixed, 61@62c; yellow, 63c; white, 64c. Oats easier; No. 2, 39@40c. Bran quiet and unchanged. Hay quiet and unchanged; prime, —. Provisions quiet. Pork, $14.75. Cut meats—Shoulders, 6.35c; sides, 7⅞c. Bacon nominal at 8.65c; l. c. s., 8.62½c. Hams—Choice sugar-cured, 11@11½c. Lard—Refined tcs, 7.75c. Whisky firm and unchanged. Exchange on New York, 75c premium; sight, $1 premium. Cotton—Spot quiet; net receipts, 1 bale; gross receipts, 126 bales.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 27.—Wheat—No. 1 hard dull, 5⅛c over Chicago August; No. 1 hard Northern Pacific, 3½c over; No. 2 red winter quiet, 90½c. Corn, none here. Receipts—Wheat, 74,000 bu.; corn, 116,000 bu. Shipments—Wheat, 32,000 bu.; corn, 55,000 bu.

CINCINNATI, O., June 27.—Flour dull. Wheat quiet, 85c. Corn dull, 50@51c Oats quiet, 34½@34¾c. Rye dull, 63c. Provisions firm. Pork, $14.25. Lard, 8.10c. Bulk meats, 7.62½c. Bacon, $9. Whisky steady; sales 545 bbls. on basis $1.14.

TOLEDO, June 27.—Wheat quiet; cash and June, 86c; July, 84½c; August, 83⅞c; December, 87c. Corn steady; cash, 49c; August, 50¼; September, 51½c. Oats firm; cash, 34½c; August, 26½c bid. Cloverseed quiet; October, $4.40 bid.

DETROIT, Mich., June 27.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 89½c; No. 2 red cash, 85½c; June, 84c bid; August, 83⅞c bid. Corn, No. 2, 48c. Oats, No. 2, 33½c; No. 2 white, 36½c. Receipts—Wheat, 8,200 bu; corn, 4,300 bu; oats, 6,300 bu.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 27.—Wheat firm; cash, 77⅜c; July, 76¼c; August, 77⅝c. Corn in good demand; No. 3, 47c. Oats firmer; No. 2 white, 36c. Rye stagnant; No. 1, 57c. Barley quiet; No. 2, 58c.

The Manchester Market.

MANCHESTER, June 27.—The Guardian, in its commercial article, says: "Few sellers did an average business and some report poor progress and delay. The monsoon in India is checking the demand. A light business was done for China and the smaller Eastern markets, but altogether the Asiatic was poor. The manufacturers for these outlets will probably curtail the production. The Burnley printing cloth-makers are in a similar situation. Lack of water supply is likely to cause some of the North Lancashire mills to temporarily suspend operations. Altogether, the prospect for producers is not encouraging. They adhere, however, to previous quotations. Export yarns are mostly quiet, but some spinners have raised their quotations for medium and low counts 1-16d per pound. Little business has been effected for China or Japan. Some No. 40 mule twist is being purchased for Madras. Lancashire manufacturers purchased small quantities. There have been sales to a fair extent of bundled yarn for Glasgow. Medium counts of twist and weft caps opened strong, but afterwards spinners were glad to accept Friday's rates. Water and ring twist warps are firm but quiet. Two-folds are firm. The fresh business is small. The cloth departments are mostly flat. Sellers rarely have done over a fair day's work. The progress is not encouraging. The inquiry for India staples, including shirtings, jaconets, mulls and dhooties, is not large and a very moderate proportion is practicable. China goods are steady with small sales. The printing-cloth demand is poor. Manufacturers, especially those producing common Burnley cloths, complain of the narrowness of margin. Heavy goods are mostly salable in moderate quantities. Prices are unchanged."

Oil and Petroleum.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 27.—Petroleum was fairly active. Prices opened weak at 71⅞c, advanced to 72½c, and at noon 72⅛c was bid.

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, June 27, 3:30 p.m.—Close—Pork, holders offer freely; prime mess Eastern 70s, dull; do Western 63s 9d, dull. Lard—Holders offer moderately; spot and June, 41s 6d, steady; July and August, 41s 9d, steady. Wheat—Holders offer moderately; new No. 2 winter, 6s 6½d, dull; do spring, 6s 6½d, dull. Flour—Holders offer freely, 9s, dull. Corn—Holders offer moderately, spot steady, 4s 7d; June and August, 4s 7¼d, steady; July, 4s 7d, steady.

LIVE STOCK.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses and Mules.
Receipts	4,047	2,643	3,777	282
Shipments	3,189	474	2,903	115

CATTLE—Again the pens were filled to overflowing, there being some 240 carloads in, fully 200 of these consisting of grass Texans and Indians, the balance being grass and corn-fed steers. Plenty of buyers were in attendance, but they did not show much life and took their time in the inspection and purchasing of cattle. Reports from Chicago and the East again denoted liberal runs with prices lower and in a demoralized condition. Local speculators, the Dressed Beef Co. and interior shippers made some purchases, but at lower prices than yesterday. In a word, the market was slow and prices lower and wholly caused by excessive offerings. This crowding of cattle to market does not pay, on the contrary, it is the cause of a great loss of money. The native shipping steers offered were quite decent, but up to 11 a. m. had not found buyers. Grass native and Southwest steers are dull and neglected, and do not bring as much money as Texas, and it is known how much they bring. Veal calves in liberal supply and slow at $3.50@6 per head.

Choice shippers, $5.35@5.65; good native shippers, $4.90@5.25; fair to medium steers, $4.10@4.75; common steers, $3.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@3.50; corn-fed Texas steers, $3.50@4.25; grass Texas steers, $2.25@3.60; cows and heifers, $1.50@3.50; butchers' bulls, $1.75@2.75; veal calves, $4@7 per head; fresh milk cows and calves, $13.50@30 per head.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily report of sales of cattle, St. Louis, June 27, 1888:

No.	Description.	Av.	Price.
11	medium cows and heifers	991	$2 25
19	Southwest cows and heifers	833	2 37½
10	Indian steers	782	2 87½
18	native heifers	729	3 00
12	Indian steers	787	2 75
37	common Southwest mixed	578	1 50
17	fair veal calves, $4 each.		
23	fair Southwest cows and calves, $20 each.		
14	fair native cows and calves, $25 each.		
257	retail from $2.50 to $3.65.		

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

No.	Description.	Av.	Price.
88	Indian steers	1,084	$2 75
88	Indian steers	1,078	3 75
16	Indian steers	962	3 62½
25	Indian steers	1,016	3 65
17	Indian cows	880	2 50
15	Indian heifers and cows	798	2 70
24	Texas cows	611	1 80
23	Texas cows	759	2 00
22	Texas steers	918	3 10
15	Texas steers	942	3 00
19	Southwest steers	863	2 10

HOGS—The supply was only moderate, some twenty-eight car loads, the bulk of which consisted of pretty good hogs, which brought from $5.50@5.60 to $5.65 per 100 lbs. The market may be called steady on good smooth hogs. Gross hogs, $5.10@5.25; pigs and light mixed, $4.75@5.25.

Representative sales:

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Daily live stock report of sales of hogs, June 27, 1888:

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
65	241	$5 70	50	214	$5 70
49	239	5 70	86	203	5 55
60	183	5 55	68	187	5 55
91	186	5 50	106	141	4 90
44	210	5 60	69	188	5 55
27	227	5 60	52	258	5 60
40	298	5 55	57	182	5 55
49	206	5 60	54	169	5 40
62	173	5 45			

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
123	279	$5 65	38	260	$5 60
61	258	5 60	63	224	5 60
35	266	5 60	66	227	5 55
75	212	5 55	102	206	5 50
65	212	5 50	62	223	5 50
52	219	5 50	70	176	5 47½
76	188	5 40	66	213	5 45
112	200	5 45	59	185	5 40
76	180	5 35	11	207	5 30
24	157	5 25	45	163	5 20
108	146	5 10			

SHEEP—Supply fair and market active. Common sheep slow.

Horses and Mules.

HORSES.

Heavy draft, extra	$175@200
Heavy draft, good	125@160
Drivers, extra	150@200
Drivers, good	110@150
Streeters, extra	115@130
Southern horses and mares	75@125
Plugs, extra, dull	40@ 60
Plugs, common, dull	15@ 30
MULES.	
14 hands, 4 to 7 years, dull	80@ 85
14½ hands, 4 to 7 years	90@100
15 hands, 4 to 7 years	110@115
15½ hands, medium	115@125
15½ hands, extra	135@145
16 to 16½ hands, extra	160@180

Live Stock by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 27.—Hogs—Receipts, 18,000. Market active and firm at former prices; light, $5.5 @5.65; rough packing, $5.50@5.60; mixed, $5.55@5.60; heavy packing and shipping, $5.60@5.80. Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; market firm; poor to choice, $4@6; cows, $1.50@3.40; stockers, $2.20@3.80; Texan steers, 2.50@3.50. Sheep—Receipts, 4,500; market weak; muttons, $3.25@4.90; Westerns, $3@3.40; Texans, $2@3.25.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 750 head through; 40 head sale; market dull at Monday's prices; sales of good 1,000 to 1,200 lbs steers at $3.75@4.40. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head through; 600 sale; weak at Monday's prices; sales of fair to good 70 to 90-lb sheep at $4.30@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,400 head through; 2,040 head sale; firm; mediums, $5.85@5.90; Yorkers, $5.60@5.80; light and rough stock unchanged.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,990; market 5@10c higher. Hogs—Receipts, 4,644; market 5c higher than yesterday's close; bulk hogs, $5.30@5.45; heavy packers and shippers, $5.45@5.50; mixed packers, $5.30@5.45; skips and pigs, $3@4.75; top hogs, $5.60.

THE WEATHER.

Local Weather Report.

ST. LOUIS, June 27, 1888.

LOCAL TIME.	Barometer.	Temperature.	Dew-point.	Direction of Wind.	Velocity of Wind.	State of Weather.
5:59 a. m.	29.71	71.0	65	NW	15	Lt. Rain.
1:59 p. m.	29.65	77.0	64	N	12	Cloudy.
9.59 p. m.						
Means						

Maximum temperature, 80.0.
Minimum temperature, 68.0.
Normal for the day, 00.0.

V. P. CHAPPEL,
Sergt. Signal Corps.

Weather Bulletin.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. A.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27, 1888.

The following observations are taken at 7 a. m., 75th meridian time:

STATIONS.	Barom.	Therm.	Wind.	Rainfall in 24 h.	State of Weather.
Jacksonville	30.02	78	S	.50	Fair.
Vicksburg	29.76	74	NE	.12	Cloudy.
New Orleans	29.70	74	SW	4.16	Cloudy.
Shreveport	29.78	74	E	.06	Clear.
Little Rock	29.78	70	SE		Cloudy.
Galveston	29.80	80	SW	.30	Clear.
Memphis	29.80	72	SW	.06	Cloudy.
Louisville	29.84	70	SE	.72	Cloudy.
Indianapolis	29.78	70	SE	.10	Cloudy.
Cincinnati	29.84	72	SE	.04	Rain.
Pittsburg	29.96	64	NE		Cloudy.
Chicago	29.80	62	E	.34	Rain.
Duluth	30.08	46	NW		Cloudy.
St. Paul	29.90	64	E		Cloudy.
La Crosse	29.94	52	NE	.06	Rain.
Davenport	29.78	54	NE	.20	Cloudy.
Cairo	29.76	72	SE	.08	Rain.
St. Louis	29.70	70	NW	*	Rain.
Leavenworth	29.70	64	S	3.64	Cloudy.
Omaha	29.78	64	N	1.14	Cloudy.
Moorhead	29.98	52	SE		Clear.
St. Vincent	29.98	52	S		Clear.
Bismarck	29.96	52	E	.16	Cloudy.
Ft. Buford	29.84	52	S		Cloudy.
Ft. Assinaboine	29.66	60	SW	.01	Cloudy.
North Platte	29.96	54	NW		Cloudy.
Denver	29.88	52	SW		Clear.
Dodge City	29.92	62	NE		Clear.
Ft. Elliott	29.78	66	Calm	.80	Clear.
El Paso	29.76	72	NW		Clear.
Salt Lake City	29.72	58	NE		Clear.
San Francisco	30.02	56	W		Clear.
Nashville	29.84	70	SE	.24	Rain.

Dash (*—) indicates trace of rain.

V. P. CHAPPEL,
Sergeant Signal Corps.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27.—Indications for twenty-four hours commencing at 3 p. m. today:

For Missouri and Illinois—Light to fresh northerly winds, slightly cooler; local rains.

For Iowa—Light to fresh variable winds, becoming southerly; stationary temperature; local rains.

For Kansas and Nebraska—Light to fresh southerly winds; warmer; occasional light local rains.

The Arkansas and Missouri rivers will rise somewhat. The Mississippi will continue stationary or fall slowly. Cautionary Southwest signals are ordered for Mobile, Pensacola and Cedar Keys.

THE RIVERS.

Local River Report.

ST. LOUIS, June 27, 1888.

STATIONS.	Above Low Beach-mark.	CHANGE. Rise.	CHANGE. Fall.	Rainfall.
St. Louis	25.9 ft.	0.2	0.1	0.18
Peoria	6.3 ft.	0.2	0.0	0.50
Beardstown	00.0 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.00
Hermann	15.2 ft.	0.2	0.4	0.21
Grand Tower	21.4 ft.	0.0	0.0	0.00

*T indicates trace of rainfall.

V. P. CHAPPEL,
Sergt. Signal Corps.

River Telegrams.

CAIRO, Ill., June 27.—Arrived: Granite State, Cincinnati, 8 a. m.; City of Florence, Ohio, 9 a. m. Departed: Florence, St. Louis, 10 a. m.; Charles Brown, St. Louis, 10 a. m.; Granite State, Memphis, 11 a. m. River 24 feet 8 inches and rising. Heavy rain this morning. Cloudy and hot.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 27.—River 4 feet 1 inch in the canal, 1 foot 11 inches on the falls. Arrived: H. F. Frisbie, St. Louis. Departed: H. F. Frisbie, Pittsburg. Cloudy and damp.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 27.—River falling. Arrived: Ohio, from Cincinnati. Departed: City of St. Louis, to St. Louis, 10 a. m. Weather cloudy and warm.

CINCINNATI, O., June 27.—River 6 ft. 6 in. and on a stand. Thermometer 79.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., June 27.—River 5.2 feet, and stationary. Rain.

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CITY NEWS.

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A DOUBTFUL STATE.

Reasons That Have Placed California in the List of Probabilities.

S. B. Wilson, of Los Angeles, who accompanied the California delegation to Chicago, and who is at the Laclede, said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter: "There is no use in disguising the fact that the nomination of Harrison has seriously imperiled the Pacific Coast, and placed California in the list of doubtful States, with the chances in favor of the Democracy. At no time have party lines been anything like as closely drawn on the Pacific Coast as they are in the East, but our voters have been principally swayed by local interests, chief among which is the Chinese question. Nearly fifteen years ago Blaine made an elaborate speech denouncing Chinese immigration, and that at a time when the Burlingame treaty was not only in operation but was very popular everywhere except in those sections into which the Chinese immigration had streamed. From this speech may be dated his popularity in the far West, and it has grown ever since. As an instance of the effect which any doubt of the position of a candidate on this question will have I need only cite the well known Morey letter of the Garfield campaign, which cast five of the six votes of California against him. I have often been asked since coming East the reason for this peculiar vote, and the explanation may not be without interest as an instance of the part personality plays in California. One of the Hancock electors was Judge Alfred Terry of Sacramento, at one time a member of the Supreme Court, and admittedly one of the strongest Democrats and ablest men in the State. His political future had been wrecked in 1859 when he had in a duel killed Senator Broderick, the leader of the Free-soilers in California. The duel was perfectly fair, but Terry was suspected of having been the leader of a conspiracy to fight Broderick out of the world, and this killed him politically. It was supposed by his friends that the lapse of nearly a quarter of a century would have caused this feeling to subside, and in order to reintroduce him into public life, he was given the unimportant position of presidential elector. But when the vote was counted it was found that he ran over 12,000 behind his ticket, and a Republican was chosen in his place, although all the other Democratic electors were chosen.

"This fact," continued Mr. Wilson, "will show how little chance there is of the Chinese record of Harrison to be forgotten. Were he to appear before the State for a State office he would be snowed under. Of course there are many thousand Republicans who will vote for him as the nominee of the party, but thousands will not, and the State is unquestionably in doubt. The protection issue plays less figure in California than many suppose. We manufacture large quantities of wool, it is true, but our output finds a market on account of its high grade, and not of its price, which is far higher than that of the Eastern woolens. Our machinery works are almost entirely confined to the manufacture of mining machinery, which we sell on the continent of Europe and need no protection. It will thus be seen that we have little to lose by free trade, and I greatly fear that the nomination of Harrison has given California to Cleveland."

Free to All.

The beautiful picture, "Will They Consent?" is a large, magnificent engraving, printed upon a sheet 19 inches wide by 24 inches long. It is an exact copy of an original painting by Kwall, which was sold for $5,000.

This elegant picture represents a young lady standing in a beautiful room, surrounded by all that is luxurious, near a half-open door, while the young man, her lover, is seen in an adjoining room asking the consent of her parents for their daughter in marriage. The fine interior decorations, together with the graceful position of the beautiful girl is in keeping with the sentiment of the picture. It must be seen to be appreciated. This valuable picture is fitting to adorn the wall of any ladies' parlor, and, in order to offer an extraordinary inducement to introduce our Wax Starch, this costly picture will be given away, free to every person purchasing a small box of WAX STARCH.

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THE WAX STARCH CO., Keokuk, Io.

A SENSATIONAL ARSON CASE.

Mrs. Keese, a Highly Respectable Lady, Charged With Incendiarism.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 27.—Anderson, a town in the upper part of this State, has been much exercised over repeated efforts to burn the town for several months past. Detectives were employed to investigate and yesterday they caused the arrest of Mrs. M. E. Keese, who has been one of the most respected ladies in the place, accusing her of the crime. Mrs. Keese is connected with several of the most prominent families in the State. Her arrest has produced a sensation. The detectives say she is the author of all the attempts to burn the town. The sensation of yesterday morning was heightened last evening by the arrest of Gustav Frank of the Pinkerton detective force, charged with an attempt to subborn witnesses in the case. Frank is the detective who worked up the recent insurance-fraud cases in Charleston. A most sensational case is now entered for trial, as the friends and relatives of Mrs. Keese will spare no money to secure her acquittal. They already have Pinkerton men at work on the case.

Cheese It.

The Globe is selling men's good wearing suits at $2.45, which others are selling at $4.95. For $4.95, $6.45 and $10 thousands of fine cassimere, cheviot and worsted suits.

GLOBE, 705 to 713 Franklin av.

MILITARY IN MOURNING.

A Parson on the War Path—Fatal Overdose—Missouri Matters.

JEFFERSON CITY, June 27.—The Adjutant General has issued a notice of the death of Brig.-Gen. Lewis T. Pim and he recommends the draping of all military headquarters in mourning for thirty days. A Republican ratification meeting was held last night at the Cole County court-house to ratify the nomination of Harrison and Morton.

KANSAS CITY, June 28.—Geo. A. Brown, a colored minister, was arrested last night for shooting at his wife and sister-in-law. He struggled with the officers before being taken to the police station.

SPRINGFIELD, June 27.—H. B. Kincaid, a railroad employe, died last evening from an overdose of laudnum taken to relieve pain.

ST. JOSEPH, June 27.—Chas. Tulley, a railroad man, was crushed to death yesterday afternoon at Winthrop Junction between two sections of a freight train.

THERE TO STAY.

COMISKEY DISCUSSES THE ATHLETICS AND THE AMERICAN PENNANT.

Brother Bill and Mr. Welch Are in the Race, but St. Louis Will Win — Brooklyn's Strength—A Rattling Prize-Fight—Sporting News—Diamond Dust.

"The Athletics are playing the best ball of any of them," said Capt. Comiskey in talking of the work of the different clubs; "and we fear them more than any other club in the race."

"Are they in the race?"

"Are they in the race? Well, I should say so. They're in the race to stay, and the more their opponents try to knock them out the longer will they stay."

"How do you account for their wonderful bracing up this year?"

"Well, Welch and Gleason are largely responsible for it. They have both put life in the team, and, as they're both workers, the other men catch the spirit of their enthusiasm. Welch is one of the greatest ball players living and his batting, base running and fielding are a wonderful help to a team. Welch has been hitting the ball fearfully hard this season, and every man on the team has caught the slugging spirit and is knocking the cover off the ball. If you hear anybody tell you the Athletics are not in the race, you just tell him he is weak in the upper story. If we break even here we're doing big, considering the way they are playing."

"Are you going to give Welch and Gleason a send-off?"

"Well, both the old Browns are liked well by all the boys, and we propose to give them a reception on Sunday, they will not soon forget. It will be a great week for us, with the Athletics and Brooklyn to entertain, but I guess we can hold our own and do it up in style."

"What do you think of the final outcome of the Association race?"

"There's only one outcome to it. The Browns will win the pennant. They can't lose it. They've got to fall down to lose it. Why, a man with half an eye can see that we are playing stronger ball than we ever played before. Short-sighted people don't see it in that light, because Brooklyn is ahead of us and because the Athletics are playing such a rousing game, but the truth of it is that these clubs are doing so well, because they've got four of the old Browns to help them out. Yes, sir, the Browns will win the pennant as sure as the color of their hose is Brown."

The Browns Won.

The Clevelands yesterday presented a game to the Browns at Sportman's Park in a pleasant and agreeable manner. The batteries were Blakely and Zimmer for Cleveland and King and Milligan for St. Louis. The Browns scored 10 runs, 13 hits and 4 errors, and Cleveland 2 runs, 6 hits and 8 errors.

Games Abroad Yesterday.

In the Association: At Louisville—Louisville, 7; Brooklyn, 6. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 5; Baltimore, 4.

In the National League: At Detroit—Chicago, 2; Detroit, 0. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 7; Pittsburg, 5. At Philadelphia—New York, 4; Philadelphia, 1.

To-Morrow's Game.

Providing rain does not interfere the Clevelands play the Browns their last two games to-morrow and on Saturday. The Clevlands are greatly strengthened over last season, and with their boss battery, Bakely and Zimmer, in the points will give any club a hard fight to down them. Bakely wants another go at the champions. He will probably be accomodated to-morrow. Play will be called at 4 p. m.

Grand Stand Chat.

Cleveland wants to sell Crowell.

Jack Glasscock has a bad attack of "Charley horse."

Yale defeated Harvard yesterday by a score of 5 to 3.

The latest about Ramsey is that he is suffering with chills and fever.

Jimmy Galvin has lost thirteen of the seventeen games he has pitched.

Anson told Morrill that he thought Boston would surely beat Detroit out in the race.

It is rumored that Cincinnati has offered Serad and some money for Con Murphy of the Syracuse team.

"Eaten by the Browns" is the head-line the Kansas City *Journal* places over its account of Monday's game.

The Athletics beat Cincinnati four straight when the latter met them early this month. The Browns broke even with them.

Dave Orr, captain of the Brooklyn Club, is confined to his bed owing to an injury in the knee received from Purcell's spikes.

The Western Association made a bad move taking in Sioux City in place of Denver. It will be a case of Sioux-icide before the season ends.

Should the Brooklyns again lose to-day and the Browns down Cleveland the Champions will go to the front and stay there till the Athletics come.

Brudder Bill Gleason and Curt Welch, two of the old Browns' favorites, will be the recipients of many distinguished honors when they arrive on Sunday next.

The difference between the percentage of Brooklyn and St. Louis is only .005. Another game won for St. Louis and lost for Brooklyn will put the Browns in the lead.

Pittsburg has not yet won a game from Philadelphia, Indianapolis has not defeated the Chicagos, and Washington has not captured a victory from either Boston or Detroit.

Hon. H. Clay Sexton thinks Billy Gleason is one of the greatest of diamond artists. Billy is his special pet, and the distinguished Collector proposes to get up some demonstration for Billy.

The Philadelphia *North American* says: "Great Scott! What an umpire a woman's rights female would make! Even Adrian Latham would have to take a back seat if such a thing were to come to pass."

"Bobby," said his father, with an ominous look in his eyes, "why weren't you at school this afternoon?" Bobby hung his head. "'Cause I went to see the ball game," he said. "Is that so? Who won?"

At Birmingham Saturday, Sullivan, the pitcher of the home team, attempted to kick Abner Powell of the New Orleans team, and Powell smashed him in the eye. The trouble was caused by partial umpiring.

Every boy in the city of St. Louis who loves the game of base ball knows Billy Gleason and Curt Welch, the Browns' old players. They will all go out to see their favorites when they come next Sunday with the Athletics.

Curt Welch, who is unquestionably the best center fielder living, has thousands of friends in St. Louis who will be glad to see him next Sunday with the Athletics. Curt is one of the players who helped make the St. Louis Browns famous.

The only failing Joe Herr has is timidity in throwing. If he would let the ball go on a dead line to Comiskey as hard as he can throw it, the champions' captain would take it in just as easily as when Herr "lobes" the ball across the field.

The Chicagos won 9 out of 15 games with Eastern clubs; Detroits, 10 out of 15; Pittsburgs, 8 out of 15; Indianapolis, 6 out of 16, Boston won 9 out of 16 with Western clubs; New York, 9 out of 16; Washington, 5 out of 14; Philadelphia, 9 out of 15.

"It was lucky that Tony Mullane got his nose broken," said a member of the Cincinnati team. "His nose was always crooked, but since Davis' hard-batted ball hit him the doctor has straightened it out, and he now has as good a nose as any man on the team."—[Kansas City *Times*.

It is more profitable to raise base ball players for the market than to raise horses or cattle. In the last two years the receipts of the Chicago Club for players sold have been about $30,000. The capital stock of the club is only $20,000. It was Anson's training and daily practice that made the men worth $30,000. No doubt he will have another lot to dispose of at big prices next year.

Manager Davidson on yesterday secured the release of Ewing and Vaughn, the crack battery of the Memphis Club. It cost the Louisville Club $800 to get them, but Mr. Davidson is determined to strengthen the club as far as the prospects of the exchequer will justify. Ewing is a brother of Buck Ewing, and is said to be a good pitcher. Several clubs were after him. Vaughn, his catcher, is said to be a fine back-stop. They will join the Louisville Club at once and take part in the games with the Brooklyns.—Louisville *Post*.

The Little Diamond.

The West Ends defeated the Cote Brilliante Reds Sunday by a score of 25 to 8.

The John Meier Boot and Shoe nine defeated the Mo. O. Widow nine by a score of 14 to 11 Sunday.

The Benton Juniors would like to play any nine under 16 next Sunday on their grounds at Benton. Address all challenges to Hugh Conradt, No. 510 Pine street.

The Mound Club having organized for the season, would like to hear from all clubs playing Saturday afternoon. Send challenge to J. H. Cassily, 421 Franklin avenue.

The St. Louis Reds have organized for the rest of the season and will play all clubs under 16 years of age. Address challenges to A. H. Kempland, 2635 Natural Bridge road.

The Crescents of St. Louis went to St. Charles Sunday and defeated the O. K.'s in a ten inning game by the score of 12 to 9. The pitching of Fahey of the Crescents was one of the features.

The Amateur Browns have organized for the season and are anxious to receive challenges from clubs of from 11 to 14 years of age. Address all challenges to Thos. F. Palfrey, Captain, 3028 Cass avenue.

The Crickets have changed their name to the College Crickets. They have the Christian Brothers' College grounds for the balance of the season, and will receive challenges from all clubs. Address L. Wimmfler, Manager, 806 South Seventh street.

The Comets would like to hear from teams under 15 years of age. Players: W. Aylward, 3b.; J. Finger, 2b.; W. Feldmann, 1b.; J. Schenermann, ss.; P. Schell, l.f.; B. Newbury, c.f.; W. Casler, r.f.; A. Wright, p.; J. Smith, c. Address P. Schell, 1008 North Thirteenth street.

Hearst Buys the King Ban Colt.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, June 27.—When Lucius O. Appleby bought the King Ban-Maud Hampton colt at the Haggin sale at Madison Square Garden yesterday he did not buy it for the Hon. August Belmont as most of the people supposed he did. He bought it for Lucius O. Appleby, and he sold it. Senator Hearst of California, who was his chief competitor for this rare bit of horse flesh, bought the colt from Mr. Appleby for what the Senator paid for the young brother of King Fox. Neither he nor Mr. Appleby would say but both admitted that the colt was bought for "an advance over the price paid for him at the sale." The Senator said that he did not pay $40,000 for him as rumor had it he did. "I owned King Fox," he said, "and he was the greatest colt that ever lived, in my opinion. I wanted his brother, partly from sentiment and partly because I believed him to be fully as good as King Fox, so I bid for him up to more than he is probably worth and stopped. I guess I saved money by doing so, for Mr. Appleby apparently wanted him as badly as I did. I've got him now at all events and so I am satisfied."

The Dwyers Indignant.

At Coney Island yesterday the people at the track were thrown into consternation by the decision of the judges in the third race, which gave the race to Tristan. It was generally thought that the Dwyer entry, Tea Tray, won, but the judges dispelled the illusion. Tristan was backed very heavily and the "bookies" lost. The Dwyers are indignant over the decision.

Yesterday's Turf Events.

At Sheepshead Bay yesterday the winners were: Tattler, Diablo, Tristan, Lelogos and Lancaster.

At Chicago the winners were: Badge, Yum Yum, Bohemian, Princess Bowling, Carey and Orderly.

Rowing News.

The Modoc Rowing Club will hold a special meeting Saturday night at the Southern Hotel for the purpose of adopting plans for their proposed new $2,000 boat-house at Creve Coeur Lake. The house will be built on piles extending well out into the lake, and will have all modern improvements and conveniences.

The double-scull race between Gaudaur and McKay and Teemer and Hamm for $5,000 and the championship will be rowed on some lake course in the East. Three places have offered inducements, Chautauqua and Syracuse in New York and Lake Maranacook in Maine, but the parties in the race have not yet decided at which place the contest will be rowed.

Mr. St. John has received from Toronto articles of agreement for his signature in the race between Wise and Lee. The race is three miles with a turn for $500 a side.

FLYNN WHIPS LEARY.

Desperate Fight to a Finish at a Long Island Resort.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Very few men about town got the "tip" as to the fighting ground on which Denny Leary of Philadelphia and Frank Flynn of Brooklyn met to battle yesterday morning. The ring was pitched in a ball-room of a wayside resort on Long Island and just twenty-six persons were present. When time was called the men at once set to work. Flynn was the first to lead and landed on Leary's face. Leary entered on the body and they broke away. Then Flynn got home heavily with the right on the nose and the blood spurted from Leary. First blood was allowed Flynn. Then was short work to mutual advantage until time was called.

In the second round Flynn forced the fighting and got home hard on the face, neck and body with great effect, Leary countering well and swelling Flynn's right eye. The third, fourth and fifth rounds were repetitions of the second, Flynn forcing the fighting and doing great work. When the men toed the scratch for the sixth round both showed the effects of punishment. Leary made a deperate rally and rushed Flynn all around the ring. Twice the Brooklyn man was knocked down, but he gamely arose and resumed fighting. In that round and the seventh Leary did wonderful work on Flynn's stomach, and when the seventh ended Flynn was bent almost double.

The tide of the battle turned again in the eighth round. Flynn got his left home heavily on Leary's mouth and Leary staggered. Then Flynn's right got home on the side of the head and the Philadelphia man went to the ropes. He would have been knocked out but for the call of time, which saved him. Leary was very weak when time was called, but he was game and walked bravely to the scratch. Flynn's seconds sent their man up in good shape and urged him to finish the fight. He was more than willing and dashed at Leary in a vicious manner. His left got home on the Quaker lad's mouth and the right on the jaw and he went to his knees. He staggered to his feet and Flynn swung his right on to the point of the jaw and Leary fell insensible in the center of the ring. Flynn was declared the winner of the match and $300 stakes. The time of fighting was 34 min. and 33 sec.

Killen Whips Cardiff.

The fifteen-round fight between Killen and Cardiff mentioned to some extent in SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH took place last night for the gate receipts at Minneapolis. The fight was to decide the heavy-weight championship of the Northwest. In the first two rounds Cardiff had the best of it, but the tide turned in the third and in the fourth Cardiff was knocked out by a terrific righthander in the neck.

Pullman Vestibule Sleeping Cars Run Through to New York.

The Vandalia and Pennsylvania Route carries on its "Pennsylvania Special" and "New York Express" trains from St. Louis to New York new and elegant Pullman Vestibule Sleeping Cars, for riding in which no extra fare is charged. These cars are models of beauty and comfort, and are affording most excellent satisfaction to the patrons of this short, quick and popular route.

TOOK "ROUGH-ON-RATS."

Accidentally Killed—A Premature Blast—Fatal Fall—Illinois Items.

DUQUOIN, June 27.—There was a large attendance at the second day's session of the Southern Illinois Teachers' Institute. It will continue for three weeks.

PINCKNEYVILLE, June 27.—Peter Decker, an old citizen, committed suicide last night by taking a dose of Rough-on-Rats.

CARBONDALE, June 27.—Samuel Lander of Bryden was killed yesterday afternoon in the attempt to board a moving freight train.

SPARTA, June 27.—James A. Wilson, a coal miner, was killed yesterday afternoon by a premature blast.

CAIRO, June 27.—Ed Scanlard, a traveling salesman, was killed yesterday afternoon by a fall into an excavation on Fourth street.

URBANA, June 27.—M. G. Short had a quarrel yesterday afternoon with his brother about money matters and committed suicide by blowing out his brains.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Items of Interest and Gossip From the Adjacent Towns.

Centralia, Mo., June 26.—Mrs. L. F. Shores of Washington, Ill., and Mrs. W. W. McCann of Shipman, Ill., are visiting the family of J. W. Shores.—J. R. Shores of Brunswick, Mo., was a recent guest of Centralia relatives.—H. S. Booth has returned from a visit to Salina County relatives.—Miss Annie Shelnutt is spending a few weeks with her mother in Callaway County.—Miss Annie Martin is visiting relatives in Monroe County.—Miss Sallie Parks is spending the week with Mexico relatives.—Dr. M. A. Brown of Marshall, Mo., was here this week.—R. A. Roddy is visiting at Providence and Ashland, Mo.—Alfred Willis has come home from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Potts, in Audrain County.—Walter Threlkeld has been suffering severely with rheumatism for several weeks.—J. R. Asbury and family, south of Centralia, are entertaining their relative, Miss Brown of Marshall, Mo.—J. O. Tinsley and family have come from a pleasant visit to Benton City.—Chas. W. Settle is spending the week at his former home at Mexico, Mo.—Mrs. R. L. Hope is visiting her parents in Audrain County.—Mrs. Emma Larkan, from Corder, Mo., is a guest of her mother, Mrs. R. S. Crabtree.—Miss Maggie Wallace and father, who have been recent guests of Dr. E. J. Wallace, have returned to their home in Monroe County.—Mrs. Bettie Wyatt and daughter, Miss Norah, are spending this week with relatives in Audrain County.—Dr. W. A. McCallister has gone to Detroit, Mich., to spend a week.

Charleston, Mo., June 26.—Hon. Henry N. Phillips of Malden, Dunklin County, was in town last week.—Miss Ollie Beckwith, a sweet girl graduate of the Nashville (Tenn.) Young Ladies' Academy, returned home Sunday.—Miss Mamie Randal, who was visiting friends in Nashville, returned Sunday.—Miss Laura Ogilvie of Farmington spent last week visiting relatives at this point.—Geo. H. Benton of Poplar Bluff was here looking after his interests as candidate for the St. Louis Court of Appeals. Hon. Marshall Arnold is out of the race.—The watermelon crop is in prime condition, but will be a few days later than last year.—A brass band has been organized to assist in keeping together the Democrats this year.—Alex A. Lesseur of Lexington is looking after his fences in the Southeast.—There has been considerable mortality among the colored population here recently, doubtless owing to the filthy condition of their quarters.—The barbeque season approaches, and the people are standing on tip-toe to hear the State candidates who have promised to be present.—One of the most delightful society events of the season was a reception tendered by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Danforth to their daughter, Miss Grace, last Friday evening.

Marion, Ill., June 26.—Mrs. A. McKinley is visiting friends in St. Louis.—Mrs. L. W. Moore, after a week's visit to her son, Dr. Moore, returned home to Belleville Sunday.—Dr. Wirtz of Coulterville visited us this week.—Miss Nora Thompson, who has been attending school at Monmouth, Ill., returned home Friday.—Mrs. J. C. Hamilton and son, Mr. Albert Hamilton, and son-in-law, Mr. Henry and wife, of Chester, S. C., returned Monday evening from their visit to friends and the big convention.—The late rains have interfered with the cutting very much, the ground being too wet to get in the fields. The grain is exceedingly fine.—Miss Jennie Nell of Iowa, formerly a teacher here, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Borders and friends.—Mrs. Dr. Campbell died here of consumption Friday, and was buried Sunday. She leaves a husband and two small children with a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Nokomis, Ill., June 26.—Charles Busby has returned from Ohio.—Miss Lilly Pyle of Morrisonville is visiting friends in this vicinity.—Miss Wiley of Casey is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Driver.—Miss Julia McLean has returned from a visit to Nebraska.—James Topping has returned to his old home at Windsor.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Levesy of St. Louis spent Sunday with relatives here.—Mrs. J. B. Griffin returned to her home at Terre Haute, Ind., Friday, after a visit with relatives of several weeks' duration.—The Ladies' Cornet Band of this place have been engaged to furnish music for the Fourth of July celebration at Windsor.—Mr. August Weber and Miss Lena Ammons were united in marriage Thursday evening, June 21, at the residence of Mr. A. Bowser, Rev. J. M. Driver performing the ceremony.—A very heavy rain, accompanied by wind, did some damage to the oats crop last week.—Charles L. Henkel will move his family to Decatur, Ala., where they will reside in the future.—A party tendered Mr. Frank Schafer at his home Saturday evening, in honor of his 21st birthday, was a very enjoyable occasion. Quite a number of our young people were present.—The Sons of Veterans gave a raspberry festival at Weaver's Hall, June 20, which was a success financially.

Pierce City, Mo., June 26.—Mr. Saunders Bile, after lying unconscious several weeks, had a portion of his skull removed.—The city is quite lively since the fine rains.—Farmers are joyous and merchants likewise.—S. H. Agor is visiting Ritchey to-day.

MR. JOHN G. KROMER, Cape May, N. J., had Eczema for years, was cured by Heiskell's Tetter Ointment.

Arrested for Murder.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 27.—Sheriff Clarke came in last evening from Princeton with Herbert Williams, who is charged with the Dallas County murder. He will be placed in the penitentiary for safe keeping.

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